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## Farmers Still 'Holding Fort'

### Norman Baker Speaking



YOU CAN'T even give money away. A fellow walks the street with a sign on his back, offering dollar bills for 95c. John J. Hart, an automobile accessory dealer at Lawrence, Mass., is the fellow who put over the scheme. The man walked the streets all day and no one came to the accessory shop to buy the dollar bills at 95c. Attract business legitimately—not by schemes or money—merchants who advertise in these columns do not complain of bad business.

They are changing styles in painting buildings—and it's about time, if we want to beautify our cities. A 60-story skyscraper in New York City will be painted a variety of colors over the entire exterior, and I'll bet it will stand out like a streak of lightning in the sky.

"Swift Water Bill" takes his daily swim and enjoys it; also has learned to dive. No, Bill is not a man, but a rooster that lives on a raft skimming the boathouse of Captain C. Swift in Lake Canals. The rooster was left on the raft with a flock of ducks, and when continually seeing the ducks take a dip and swim, he forgot his hereditary training and unconsciously jumped off. He had to swim or drown, and now he does it every day. MORAL—by watching others, one unconsciously does the thing they do—so be sure they are good things.

PRUNES. Not those that you eat, but a burro that hauled ore in a Colorado mine for 62 years. Now they have built a monument over his grave in Main Street of Fair Play, Colorado, and may we add there are some monuments standing today for human beings who were not as worthy as this Old Faithful.

You can't lose a dog. A Lewis and Clark, Maine, man owned a German Police dog, which he took to Newark, New Jersey, by automobile. The dog didn't like the new place and returned home in one week. That's instinct—finding his way, characteristic of a dog.

Pennsylvania State college thinks they have found something really wonderful in spending a lot of the state's money and being able to make a brick 20 feet long and 5 feet wide. Any ordinary mechanic can do that if you give him the material.

Dr. Frances C. Wood, vice president of the American Association for the Control of Cancer, says that radium will not cure cancer. "It only destroys cancer tissues within a certain radius, but does not drive the disease from the blood."

Power is changing rapidly; coal supplies more than three-fifths of the energy used in the United States; domestic oil a little over one-fifth; and natural gas and water power about one-fifth each. The new motive power for automobiles and factories will be invisible, non-smelling gas, taken from the air, cheaply. It will be collected cheaply, but sold dearly to the people, just as is done with electricity today.

Speaking of women, Mrs. Lefia Bickford of Oakland, Me., has smoked an average of two pipefuls of tobacco every day since a girl, and she is now 75 years old. She says the first tried it at eight years of age. I hope you women will not take this as a lesson and start buying pipes. You look better without them. Some day, however, some movie star will get the idea of having her "picture took" with some kind of a fancy curved pipe and then the girls will start it, then the women. YES—NO?

### 'Amateur Meat-Cutters' Defined

Much has been said through the press regarding Examiner Yost's recommendation to the federal radio commission that the license of KTNT be refused. They state that I have referred, over the air, to Medical associations as "amateur meat-cutters."

Now let us analyze the situation. An amateur meat-cutter is one who goes after a piece of meat when no definite good can come from his cutting, and such cutting is done for several reasons:

First, to experiment and learn how to cut better. They practice as an amateur and it may be that is where the name practitioner comes from—it means "one who practices."

Second, the cutting may not be done for experience, but for a big fee which is in sight. Doctors who are more intelligent and have become experts and specialists in their line, seem to agree quite well with my statements.

During the last 25 years most cases of cancer have been referred to surgeons for operations and to specialists for X-ray and radium treatment, but in view of all these three methods of treatment and the specialists who handle them, the number of deaths from cancer each year increases.

It is claimed that more people over 40 years of age die from cancer than from tuberculosis and typhoid fever combined—one woman in eight and one man in eleven of those who reach the age of 40, will die of cancer. In the city of New York there is one death every hour of the day and night from cancer, and in the United States statistics show there are over 300 deaths every 24 hours from cancer. This high death rate shows that cancer is a menace to everyone—your family, friends, relatives, to you and to me—and if there isn't a lot of amateur cutting being done, why isn't there more lives saved? It is claimed that one death in every

ten is caused by cancer, and that we must all watch our steps.

It has been proven again and again that trying to cure cancer by surgery, X-ray or radium is useless. All we need do is take note of our friends who have been operated upon for cancer. We will find there is always a recurrence. Some people may say that I do not know anything about cancer. I do not claim to know much excepting that which I have read and learned from my experience in seeing and talking to hundreds of cancer patients—some on the brink of the grave with only a few days of life left, and others in a more hopeful condition. I do not ask anyone to believe what I say about cancer, but I do trust there is somebody in the world that they DO have faith in as regards medical things.

Dr. Mayo is quoted as saying: "After amputation of a cancerous breast, under the most favorable circumstances, I believe that in 99 cases out of a hundred, the disease returns."

Should Mayo know what he is talking about? I think so.

Then there is Dr. Wood, who at a meeting of the American Medical Association, in discussing

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### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS ARE AGAIN CHOSEN

Asthalter, Axel and Norton Re-Elected; Light Vote

In the lightest school election vote cast here in many years, Dr. W. S. Norton, Werner Axel groceryman, and A. J. Asthalter, book store proprietor, were re-elected as members of the Muscatine city school board Monday to serve 3-year terms. A total of 932 ballots were cast.

Dr. S. D. Folsom, who sought election as a member of the school board, was the only one of a ticket of four candidates to be defeated, as but three members could be chosen.

Although receiving the largest vote in all of the three precincts, Dr. Norton led Werner Axel, his next closest opponent by but a small margin. Dr. Norton was given a total of 745 votes in the three precincts, Axel receiving a total of 693, Asthalter, 618, and Dr. Folsom, 393.

Three votes were cast in this ward for O. A. Hammer, whose name did not appear on the ballot. One vote was also registered in favor of R. Fuller.

**Second Precinct**  
In the second precinct, Dr. Norton led all of the candidates on the ticket, and received a total of 126 votes. Werner Axel the only candidate who is a resident of the ward, followed closely behind Dr. Norton with a total of 113 votes. The total number of ballots cast in the precinct was 151, with Dr. S. D. Folsom receiving 71 votes and A. J. Asthalter 69, the lowest number cast for one candidate in the ward.

**Third Precinct**  
The three directors of the Muscatine school board to serve three years were well represented by votes in the third precinct. Dr. Norton led the four candidates with 264 votes; Mr. Axel followed with 180; Mr. Asthalter, 161; and Dr. Folsom received 98.

Morley Sturien, election judge of this district, found that out of the 264 votes cast for Dr. Norton, two others were spoiled by defacing. This left a total of 255 votes for the directors in this district.

**Vote by Precincts**  
The vote by precincts is as follows:  
First precinct—Norton, 415; Axel, 400; Asthalter, 388; Folsom, 224.  
Second precinct—Norton, 126; Axel, 400; Asthalter, 69; Folsom, 71.  
Third precinct—Norton, 264; Axel, 180; Asthalter, 161; Folsom, 98.

**Highway Petitions Seek State Care Of Montezuma Road**  
Petitions urging the state highway commission to take the Muscatine-Montezuma road as a part of the state primary road system and number it continuously will be circulated here beginning today, it was announced by L. R. McKee, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Next week similar petitions will be circulated in the county between here and Montezuma. J. H. Harris has charge of circulating the petitions for the Chamber of Commerce.

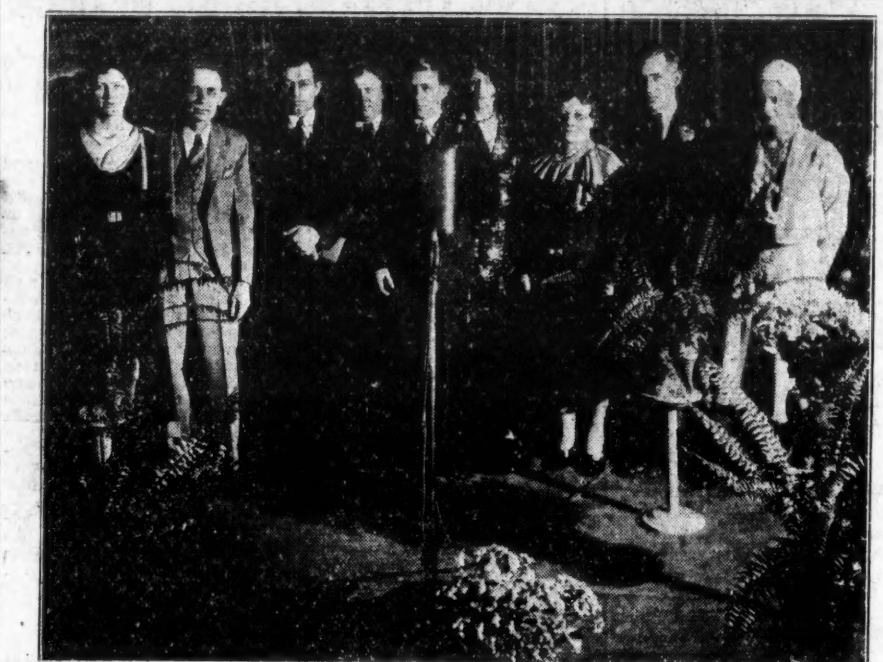
The road, which is in good condition between here and Lone Tree, is one of the few east and west roads in the territory it crosses, and is therefore considered important by local business men.

**Cloudy, Possibly Light Rain, Snow Prediction Here**  
Cloudiness with possibly light rain or snow was the weather promised for Muscatine and southeastern Iowa, state reports said today. Somewhat warmer weather was predicted for the extreme southeastern portion. The thermometer which Monday morning stood at 26 degrees above zero, rose two degrees during the night. The wind was in the northwest. There was no change observed in the river stage which remained at 2.4 feet.

**MERCHANT MISSING**  
OMAHA, Neb.—(INS)—Omaha police today had found no trace of Joseph Lighty, 54, proprietor of Light Brothers Department store, Carroll, Ia., missing since last Thursday.

Light had lived at Carroll for 26 years.

### When World Listened to Tying of Nuptial Knot



Pictured above is a scene from the "radio wedding" that was solemnized early Sunday morning at station KTNT, Muscatine. The wedding was one of the few of its kind ever performed, and the first time a Muscatine couple has had the nuptial knot tied while the world listened in. A similar event for an out-of-town couple took place over KTNT several years ago. After the service, uniting Miss Alice Bellows and Ellis J. Albee, both of Muscatine, a picture was taken of the principals in the service and the parents of the young couple. Left to right are: Mrs. Ellis J. Albee, the bride; R. A. Bellows, father of the bride; Rev. R. A. Hawley, who officiated; E. E. Albee, father of the groom; E. J. Albee, the groom; Mrs. E. E. Albee, mother of the groom; Mrs. R. A. Bellows, mother of the bride; Ellis Shields, best man; and Miss Cleo Bellows, sister of the bride and bridesmaid.

### 'No Man; An Unnatural Beast' FATE OF HOOVER Says Prosecutor of Kirkland

**BANK TO PAY BACK IN FULL**  
**Stockton Institution Will Return Deposits Today**

Unpaid depositors of the defunct Stockton Savings Bank are being paid in full this afternoon. Gus Albee, attorney for the bank, went to Stockton today to be present at the proceedings.

There is ample money on hand to pay all outside depositors, Albee said, and all will be refunded the full amounts called for by their deposit books.

The bank closed because of frozen assets on December 26 and on February 25 about 100 depositors were paid amounts ranging from 89 cents to more than \$7,000.

It is hoped all depositors will call for their money today so that the bank's affairs may be closed as rapidly as possible, officials said.

**O. DUSENBERRY FUNERAL FRIDAY**  
Oscar Dusenberry, 53, of near New Era, died this morning following a heart attack suffered Monday afternoon.

Mr. Dusenberry, who was a farmer, had been a resident of the locality all his life. He lived on a farm a mile north of New Era.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Margaret Dusenberry, three brothers, Noah, Ira, and Oren Dusenberry; two sisters, Mrs. Hallie Sturien and Mrs. Laurie Hubbell; three daughters, Mrs. Genevieve White, Miss Ruth Dusenberry, and Miss Luella Dusenberry; and three sons, Lawrence, Edward, and Oscar.

The funeral will be held 9 o'clock Friday morning from St. Mathias church. Burial will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

**Struck Right Time, But at Wrong Time**  
DETROIT, Mich.—(INS)—It meant jail for Louis Robinson, 30, to have the clock he was stealing strike the right time at the wrong time.

The patrolman who saw Robinson carrying a bulky package did not suspect anything was wrong until he heard a clock chime. The musical notes embarrassed Robinson, the officer decided, when he saw the man scurry away.

While questioning the clock-carrier in the station, the officer's superior, Lieut. James Thornton walked in to report that an old family clock, a 100-year old heirloom, had been stolen a few minutes before from his automobile.

**FALL IS FATAL**  
KEOKUK, Ia.—(INS)—Frederick Stempson, 74, former Iowa hotel clerk, is dead today. Stempson fell on a walk Monday and died instantly.

### CATTLE TESTS ARE BALKED IN CEDAR COUNTY

Hearing Before Legislature Assured By Turner

TIPTON—(Special)—The approximately 34 state agents, here to enforce the T. B. cattle testing law over the protests of farmers, left this afternoon. One is said to have remarked: "We will return in a few days to clean up this situation."

(Special to Free Press)

TIPTON—Cedar county's embattled farmers today redoubled their vigilance efforts as word leaked out that state veterinarians and agents were preparing a big onslaught to enforce the tuberculin cattle-testing law.

Determination marked today's plans for a showdown following the second big defeat of the authorities Monday when a crowd of more than 1,000 farmers from Cedar, Scott and Muscatine counties prevented the veterinarians from reading a test at the William Butterbrodt farm, northeast of here.

Stationed at Five Points

The agents, numbering over 20 and armed, it is said, approached no farther than the Butterbrodt property line. Seeing attempts at reading the test would be useless, the men returned to Tipton and communicated with Des Moines. They were told by the attorney general's office to delay all operations until further instructions.

The pickets were up at 4 o'clock this morning and stationed at five points where it was believed testing operations were scheduled. The farmers at the Butterbrodt place were in no peaceful frame of mind Monday. A calf, born to cow tested last Thursday, had died, and Mr. Butterbrodt attributed the calf's death to the testing. The cow is in a similar condition.

Pickets Sound Warning

Pickets were stationed Monday at the farm of E. C. Mitchell, Aaron Schroeder, George Walton, and William C. Butterbrodt of Tipton and J. W. Lenker of Wilton Junction.

When any attempt is made to test cattle at any of these points sentinels stationed on each of the rural telephone lines are notified. They in turn sound a general warning and form a gathering at that particular place.

Many of the objectors stood guard Monday with their rifles, though their host at one point Mr. Butterbrodt, did his best to feed them, many returned last night to their homes hungry, but with the knowledge that another day of passive resistance against the compulsory test law had been successful.

Turner Promises Hearing

They did not leave, however, until the attorney general had ordered the officers withdrawn for the day.

Dr. Peter Malcolm, chief of the Bureau of the federal government, Des Moines, was in charge of the veterinarians sent in to conduct the tests.

The action Monday followed receipt of a letter from Governor Dan Turner in which Cedar county authorities and leaders of the protesting group were informed that the law regarding the testing of cattle would be enforced.

### With HOOVER Daily

10 a. m.—Representative Hawley (Rep.) of Salem, Ore., called to discuss a private matter.

10:15 a. m.—Col. Arthur Woods, chairman of the president's emergency committee for relief of unemployment, called to discuss various aspects of the unemployment situation.

10:30 a. m.—Former Representative Elliott (Rep.) of Conserville, Ind., called to thank the president for his appointment to be assistant comptroller general of the United States.

10:35 a. m.—Senator Clegg (Rep.) of Illinois, called to invite the president to participate in the 75th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln at Springfield, Ill.

11 a. m.—James R. Garfield, chairman of the president's commission on administration and conservation of the public domain, called to discuss the commission's report.

11:30 a. m.—C. B. Demman, of the Federal Farm Board, called to discuss details of the forthcoming meeting of the National Live Stock Marketing association.

12 m.—Dr. L. S. Rowe, director general of the Pan-American Union, called. Subject of conference not announced.

12:30 p. m.—Dr. C. W. Green, of the University of Missouri, called to pay his respects.

12:45 p. m.—William Gude, of Washington, D. C., called to present a floral piece on behalf of the National Florists association.

6:30 p. m.—The president left for Asheville, N. C., to visit his son, Herbert Hoover Jr., who is convalescing from illness.



## PROGRESSIVES WILL DISCUSS MANY ISSUES

Timely Legislation to  
Be Taken Up at  
Conference

By WILLIAM K. HUTCHINSON  
(INS Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, (INS)—A permanent organization to battle for enactment of liberal legislation in future sessions of congress will be formed at the national conference of progressives, meeting here tomorrow and Thursday, it was announced today by its managers.

The group of senate insurgents, Republican and Democrat, who sponsored the conference, were enthusiastic over the prospects when 122 nationally prominent educators, economists, publicists, labor and farm leaders accepted their invitations. The conference, they said, would be devoted first to obtaining a cross-section of the national viewpoint toward progressive policies, and second, to lay the foundation for a national organization for enacting liberal legislation.

Over 100 to Attend

Preliminary list of the progressives of both parties, who accepted invitations to the conference, failed to include the names of either Franklin D. Roosevelt, governor of New York, or Clifford Pinchot, governor of Pennsylvania. It was said Roosevelt declined on the ground he could not spare the time from his gubernatorial duties, while Pinchot was reported to have indicated he would attend at least one session of the conference.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, Dr. Charles Beard, of New York, Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the Industrial Relations commission, Fred Breckman, of the National Grange, and Bruce Bliven, of the New Republic, headed the list of acceptances. The names of 55 persons were issued by the conference managers with a statement this represented but half the expected attendance.

Seek Information

It was made clear by the senate insurgents the conference was expected to endorse a program of progressive policies before adjournment, although specific legislation might not be endorsed. Their purpose, according to Senator Norris (R) of Nebraska, conference chairman, will be to secure advice from the experts who will attend, which will help us formulate legislation in the future.

Norris said special committees of experts and legislators probably would be organized to further further information and draft legislative proposals in the future.

"Progressive senators and representatives have had their say in the session of congress just ended," said Norris. "We want to hear what experts think of various policies and measures. We will hold a series of 'Round Table' discussions at which all those invited will be given an opportunity to advise us."

## \$4,000 ROBBERY AT ALDEN BANK

Officers Are Locked  
In Vault as Bandits Escape

ALDEN, Ia.—(INS)—The Farmers Savings Bank of Alden was held up and robbed of \$4,000 in cash and negotiable securities at 9 o'clock this morning by two masked men who entered the bank shortly after it had opened for business. One patron, Dr. R. C. Roberts, Alden dentist, was in the bank at the time.

The cashier, W. H. Miller, Assistant Cashier, Leland H. Watson and the bank teller, Otto Copping, and Dr. Roberts were ordered by the two bandits to lie face down on the floor. They were told that they would be killed if they stirred. One of the bandits pointed a gun at the four while the other rifled the vault and cash drawer. Apparently feeling that they had not secured all the funds which were available one of the bandits stepped over to Cashier Miller and pointing a gun at his head ordered him to get all the money. Miller complied and the bandit, apparently satisfied, ordered all four persons into the bank vault. They were then locked in.

Fortunately the vault of the bank is provided with an inside release and the bank officials and the dentist within a few minutes had gained their freedom. The bandits had fled, however.

An alarm was spread but the holdup men had escaped, presumably in a waiting automobile.

James E. Ridsen, chief of the bureau of investigation, dispatched state agents here immediately on receipt of the news of the holdup. However there is no clew at present as to the identity of the men or the direction they left after the holdup. Few persons in the town knew anything of the robbery until some time after it had occurred.

Lake Farm Bureau  
Will Hold Regular  
Meeting on Friday

The regular meeting for members of the Lake Farm Bureau will be held Friday evening at High Prairie church, it was announced today. A local program including reports by delegates to the Farm and Home week program at Ames last month, will be given.

## Seeks Death Verdict



John Underwood, prosecutor in the Kirkland case, who presented the state's plea for a death verdict.

## VOTE LIGHT IN RURAL SCHOOLS

Directors Re-Elected  
In Many Township  
Districts

Directors were re-elected yesterday in many of the township school districts of the county with a lighter vote than usual cast in many of the districts due to poor condition of the local roads.

The elections were held in all of the 38 school corporations of the county, while in eleven townships there are smaller school organizations with 89 meetings held.

Included in the list of directors chosen yesterday are the following: Fruitland township—Lone Tree school, E. C. Hildand; Corwin school, W. J. Schult; Mittman school, Fred Mittman; Olive Branch, George Hintermeister; Fruitland, Grover Strause.

Bloomington—Kalamazoo school, David McConaha; Fairview No. 5, James Essex; North Prairie No. 1, John Gurnes; Oak Grove, Lloyd Shields.

Wilton—H. F. Mauser and Henry Maurer, Jr., both re-elected.

Tipton—W. N. Furnish and Murel Clark, both re-elected.

Melpine—Andrew Grimm, re-elected.

## Poultrymen Plan Annual Show to Be Given in December

Plans for the next annual poultry show to be held the week of Dec. 1 were outlined at a meeting of the Muscatine County Poultry Association held at the Sunnyside Hatchery, 314 East Second street, Monday night.

In addition to the regular standing committees of the association, an entertainment committee, made up of ladies of the organization, was appointed. An invitation was extended members by Elmer McIntyre to hold a picnic near West Liberty this summer.

Details of the poultry show will be announced later. Lunch was served following Monday night's meeting.

## Missouri Man Held For Grand Jury on Liquor Charge Here

Walter Burgin of Popular Bluff, Mo., was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of transporting liquor after a hearing before Justice of the Peace Coster this morning. He was taken to the county jail in lieu of \$500 bond.

Burgin was arrested at the northwest corner of Second and Walnut streets at 4 a. m. today when a policeman found a pile of unopened whisky in his automobile. Burgin testified he bought the liquor from a stranger.

## 'Amateur Meat-Cutters' Defined

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the use of radium for the treatment of cancer, said:

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If we jump across the pond to England, we find that Sir James Paget, in the British Medical Journal, acknowledges that surgery, in the treatment of cancer, cannot even be given the credit of prolonging life, to say nothing of saving the life of the person suffering from cancer. He continues by saying:

"Can there be any doubt that in many respects, the knife, as a cure for cancer, is a ghastly failure? I am not aware of a single case of recovery, and as to the use of an operation in prolonging life, I believe that the removal of the local lesion makes no material difference in the average duration of life."

I could go on and on, citing doctor after doctor of national and international repute, to substantiate my claims; therefore I

## 'VIRGIL NO MAN BUT UNNATURAL BEAST'—FREUND

Kirkland Likened to  
Wolf By Fiery  
Attorney

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fell into the arms of a woman friend and hid her face from the court fans. Feminine spectators broke into sobs. The 20-year-old defendant was like a stolid Indian.

Kirkland Unmoved

Kirkland had entered the courtroom of Judge Grant Crumpacker with a truculent air. He stared at the middle-aged jurors, mostly farmers, who within a few hours will debate whether he is guilty or not guilty of a charge of attacking Arlene and causing her death at an alcoholic party at Gary November 30.

Freund faced Kirkland as he propounded his vitriolic attack, following up the argument of prosecutor John Underwood who asserted the defendant had committed a "fiendish crime" and should be given the maximum penalty.

Mother Collapses

Kirkland's mother gave a cry and buried her head in her husband's shoulder when Freund asserted that "even a wolf wouldn't be so low as to invite others to attack a helpless girl." Four other youths allegedly attacked 18-year-old Arlene the night of the fatal party.

Elmer Draves, the dead girl's father, sat with his head in his hands during Freund's entire address. Freund drew tears from some of the spectators with his picture of Arlene as an innocent girl victimized "by a boy with the instincts of a raving wolf."

"Gentlemen," the prosecutor said in addressing the jury, "I am a young man too, but I never heard of a man professing to love a girl and yet turning her over to other men to be ruined."

"This defendant is not a man. He is an unnatural beast. If you acquit him, I don't know what excuse you can give your wives, your daughters, your sisters and your God. But you won't acquit him. You will send him to the electric chair."

Arlene's Father Sobs

Ronald Oldham, law partner of Barrett O'Hara, chief defense counsel, followed Freund in addressing the jury.

"I am not going to give you my pet theory of this case or the theory of anyone else," Oldham said. "I am going to give you facts. I am going to talk to you about Virgil Kirkland and Arlene Draves."

"I am a southerner. I respect all womanhood, since I sat at the knee of my mother, since I was rocked in the cradle by my old negro mammy, I have never in my lifetime offered insult to a woman."

"But, gentlemen, this girl was no young unsophisticate. She knew Virgil and he knew her. Didn't he tell the police, as they roughed him around, that 'I didn't have to attack Arlene—we knew each other too well'?"

"But I want you to forget that. I do not want to speak disparagingly of maidenhood, nor of the dead." Arlene's father, sitting with state's counsel, shut his eyes. They were brimming with tears.

"Let's go to the scene of this party," Oldham continued. "A boy and a girl in love with each other. Love flourishes, you know, gentlemen, in spite of this age of gin and jazz."

"So then what happened? They drink. Why, I am from Kentucky but I could not drink raw alcohol and still wine like those children and still keep my senses."

Juror Nods In Assent

"Yet they drank such concoctions. Then they fell into each other's arms on a divan in full view of everyone at that party. If Virgil Kirkland intended to attack that girl, he wouldn't have been seen by all their friends in the attitude of love, would he?"

One juror nodded in assent. The jury as a whole gave Oldham the strictest attention. Kirkland was stony. His mother had recovered from an earlier breakdown, but her eyes were red and her lips trembled when she whispered to her husband.

"Now what happened next," Oldham continued. "This couple leave the divan and go out on the porch."

ask, was I right or was I wrong when I referred to the 'Amateur Meat-cutters' association?"

There are those in this city among the physicians who think I am all wrong when I speak about cancer, simply because I am not a doctor. No, I am NOT a doctor, but I consider myself a fairly good investigator, and here I am wrong in my statements, we will devote space in the columns of the Free Press to any article which others may care to submit, such as Dr. Beveridge or Dr. Howe who have fought the medical treatments here at Muscatine viciously, and have tried, by their testimony before the federal radio commission, to have the license of KNTV revoked. We will give them a chance to submit their side of the story, and we might also include Clyde Rabedaux and Mr. Adler of the Muscatine Journal and Davenport papers.

Again I repeat, to condemn without investigation is gross ignorance, and to HAVE condemned without investigation, to find later that such condemnation was wrong and that which one condemned is good, places one in the role of a coward.

NORMAN BAKER

## With Sick Friends At the Hospitals

Bellevue

The superintendent reported no new cases for the Free Press today.

Hershey

The superintendent reported no new cases for the Free Press today.

Baker

New patients at the Baker hospital today are Jake Mosher of Jamestown, N. D.; Frank J. Thomas of Dubuque, Ia.; Mrs. Dema Julius of Van Buren, Ind.; Mrs. O. W. Schoenthaler of Elmwood, Ia.; Victor Shima of Solon, Ia., and Mrs. W. E. Butcher of Victor, Ia.

## CLEAR COUNTY ROADS OF SNOW

Crews of Engineer's  
Departments End  
2-Day Work

All of the principal east and west roads of the county trunk system over which mail is carried, had been cleared of snow last night by crews employed by the county, according to County Engineer F. P. G. Halfbass today.

Sunday morning found nearly all roads leading in east and west directions entirely blocked by huge drifts as result of the blizzard which swept over the county Saturday with considerable fury. The road crews labored all day Sunday and Monday and with but few exceptions, the roads were again made passable.

A number of roads of minor importance, are still blocked with snow but farmers residing in these communities have managed to dig a path to reach the more important highways. Many have been forced to resort to the use of bugles to leave their homes.

## LOCAL MEN AT ROAD MEETING

Five County Officers  
Attend Oskaloosa  
Conference

Supervisors A. J. Altekruze, J. H. Barclay, J. H. Barclay, County Auditor Kenneth Coder and County Engineer F. P. G. Halfbass drove this morning to Oskaloosa, where they attended a meeting of the fifth highway commission district supervisors and engineers.

A business meeting of the supervisors and engineers was held at 10:30 o'clock and at 11 o'clock, Carl Kennedy, assistant secretary of agriculture for Iowa led a discussion of the Weed law which has already been passed and which has been a problem for supervisors and county engineers for some time.

This afternoon, W. E. Jones, who is in charge of design for the highway commission, spoke on that subject as applied to road work, and another speaker, an attorney from Oskaloosa, whose name was not previously announced, was scheduled to discuss pending legislation as effecting roads and road work.

She sits down and Virgil sits down on the arm of her chair, as lovers will.

"Dick Sturbridge and his wife are out there. Mrs. Sturbridge is ill. She, too, had been drinking that vile prohibition alcohol. But her husband was sober at that. He was out taking care of his wife. He heard Virgil making love to Arlene."

Protests His Love

"He quoted him as saying, 'I love you, I love you, you know I love you, babe.'"

"He quoted Arlene as saying, 'I love you, I want to go home.'"

"And then what? Sturbridge heard a thud, just one thud, gentlemen. He turned. He saw Arlene on the porch. He picked her up. He said, 'Give her to me. Give her to me. Give her to me.'"

"Sturbridge heard no blow struck. If Virgil had hit that girl, as the state would have you believe he did, it would have been heard by him. But there was no blow heard, and the girl was delivered back to her young lover's arms."

"Then what happened? Virgil said, 'Are you hurt, babe?' She said, 'I'm all right.' So he took her out to the car to keep her in the air. And then he went back to the house, as he admits, and started drinking again. He got drunk. He passed out. He doesn't know what happened until he woke in a car and Arlene's head was on his shoulder."

"Said Virgil, 'What time is it? Where are we? I've got to get home.' But babe was dead. It was too late. Drink and drunk-craved youth had taken their toll. "So, gentlemen, would you send this boy to his eternal doom for the fact that someone else has done? I think not, gentlemen, for you are fair-minded men. I hand this boy's life into your keeping with all faith in your honest justice."

A company has been formed in Spain to conduct an air mail service linking the cities of the country with the Dutch service between Batavia and Amsterdam.

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## INVESTIGATING REALTY DEAL

Buying of McChesney  
Property Before  
'U' Probers

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approval for McChesney, treasurer of the university, to enter into the transaction as trustee for his wife, Cornelia McChesney.

Bought for \$20,000

The McChesney home was purchased July 29, 1924, for \$20,000. The only signature of the owners of the home was that of McChesney. Gemmill said he was not sure whether he insisted on this precaution to insure a good title to the property.

W. H. Bates, secretary of the university, handled the transaction, the witness said. Earlier in the hearing the witness was examined as to purchases of real estate at Iowa City amounting to \$87,250 on July 17, 1924. According to the board minutes the purchases were charged against the university income balance for 1923-1924.

It was then shown that on June 30, 1924, there was in this balance only \$14,200.

Purchase Left Balance

Gemmill explained that there was a balance of uncashed warrants in the hands of the university which amounted to \$666,495.34. This balance he said made possible the purchase. One member of the committee was not present today. Byrion G. Allen, vice chairman of the committee, is in Chicago conducting a hearing at which Major John L. Griffith, Big Ten athletic commissioner, will testify. Earl Wisdom, assistant attorney general of Iowa, and Henry Walker, of Iowa City, board of education attorney, are also in Chicago for this hearing.

Representatives of the legislative committee investigating affairs at the University of Iowa will be in Chicago today to question Maj. John L. Griffith of that city, athletic commissioner, who figured prominently in Iowa's dismissal from participation in Big Ten athletics in Iowa in 1929.

The investigating committee late Monday authorized Representative Byrion G. Allen, of Potosi, Mo., chairman of the committee, Earl Wisdom, assistant attorney general, and Harry G. Walker, Iowa City attorney, to go to Chicago and question Griffith and others whose testimony is desired. The meeting today with Major Griffith was scheduled to begin at 10 a. m. at Hotel Sherman, Chicago.

Alumnus Testifies

Testimony by Willis Mercer of Iowa City, president of the Iowa Alumni Athletic association, was a feature of the hearing Monday.

Names of Dr. Walter Jessup, university president; Paul Belting, former athletic director; Burton Ingwersen, head football coach, and E. H. Lauer, present director of athletics, were included in the testimony presented.

## Answer and Cross Petition Filed in Pace Divorce Suit

Charges that his wife had been unfaithful to her marriage vows are made in an answer and cross petition filed by L. G. Pace, deputy sheriff, who has been sued for a divorce by his wife Mable Pace, on grounds of cruelty. He denies the charges of cruelty.

In the answer filed by Attorneys Drake & Wilson, Pace alleges that since their separation his wife has repeatedly returned to their home at 1214 East Fourth street, broke a window and removed articles of furniture and household goods. He asks that a temporary writ of injunction restraining his wife from removing any other articles from the home and that title to the real estate be confirmed in him.

Last Saturday, Mrs. Pace made application for a writ of replevin to get possession of a list of furniture and other articles now at the Pace home, which she claimed were obtained by either gift or purchase, to the value of \$500, and that she had suffered damages to the amount of \$100 as result of the defendant's unlawful possession of the property.

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## Hi Debaters Lose At Fort Madison; Try Again Tonight

The Muscatine High School affirmative debating team lost to Ft. Madison Monday night at Fort Madison. The subject debated was "Resolved: That the chain store system is detrimental to the best interests of the American people." Fort Madison's winning point was brought out through the argument that chain stores are selling at a lower price than large stores because of the elimination of middlemen.

The Muscatine team lost on the argument that the population of the country has not increased in proportion to the number of retail units.

Tonight Fort Madison will bring its negative team to Muscatine to debate again on the same subject.

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# SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES and HELPFUL HINTS for the WOMEN

## Eastern Stars To Hold School Of Instruction

March 23 is the date set for the school of instruction to be held by the Eastern Star. At this time Mrs. Myrtle Cook of Des Moines, district instructor, will be present to conduct the school. Following the business sessions of the group a banquet will be enjoyed at the Y. W. C. A. at 6 o'clock by the regular meeting and the initiation of candidates.

Monday evening members of the Eastern Star met in regular session and later enjoyed a dancing party. Fifty couples were present and Grimm's orchestra furnished the music for the affair. The general committee in charge of the dance included, Abner Hahn, Gene Rosenbath and Frank Wilcox. Mrs. Eloise Stein, Mrs. Jack Ellis and Mrs. Mabel Potter had charge of the refreshments.

## Drill Team Will Have Party

The Pocahontas drill team will enjoy a card party at Redman hall Wednesday evening. Five hundred will form the diversion and later refreshments will be enjoyed. Miss Edna McGee will serve as hostess.

## Mona Council to Hold Meeting

Mona council, Degree of Pocahontas, will meet tonight at Redman hall at 8:00 o'clock. After the business session dancing and refreshments will be enjoyed.

## Anniversary Party Held at Franzen's

MELPINE—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Franzen entertained a group of friends Saturday evening in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary. Five hundred was the pleasure of the guests and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Etta Plett, William Herman, Harold Plett, Marie Jack, Elma Herring and Edward Riemers. A wedding cake attractively decorated was the feature of the supper. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelley and daughter, Jean, Mr. and Mrs. George Grimm and daughter, Marvel, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riemers, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Angle, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Plett and daughter, Marie, Mr. and Mrs. William Herman and children, Lauren and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles and daughter, Mildred and Doris, Mrs. Ora Cawiesell and George, Donald and Edward; Herbert Riemers, Arthur Deschamps, Harold Plett, Benjamin Strobel, Elizabeth and Caroline Herring, Bernice Franzen, Henry and Harold Franzen and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Franzen.

## Royal Pair Plan to Separate



The above photo shows Crown Prince Umberto of Italy and his wife, formerly Princess Marie Jose of Belgium, who, it is reported, plan to part. They were married in January, 1930.

## Fraternity Is Host at Party

Members of the Kappa Phi Kappa local fraternity were hosts at a theater party Monday evening at the Fox Palace theater. After the picture the sixteen participants were entertained at the home of Maurice Dittman, 1208 Oakland drive. Special guests were Jack Wilson, Harold Faulkenburg and Floyd W. Der Ploeg.

## League Play Is Postponed

"Headstrong Joan" is the title of the play sponsored by the Epworth League of the Island Methodist Episcopal church, which has been postponed from March 13 to March 27. The play will be presented by the Mueserville Epworth league members at Hoopes hall.

## Mrs. TeStrake to Be Hostess

Group eight of the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. TeStrake, 920 Newell avenue. Mrs. TeStrake requests members to bring material to sew carpet bags.

## Woodbine Camp to Convene

Woodbine camp of the Royal Neighbors will meet at I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday evening. Initiation of candidates will be held and balloting for new members conducted.

## Group Seven to Have Session

Group seven of the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet at 1:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. C. McCleod, 207 East Seventh street.



Help the other readers of the Midwest Free Press to cook. Send in the recipes you like best, sign your name, and address, they will be gladly published.

## MENU FOR WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST: Stewed Prunes, Bran with cream, Creamed Codfish on toast, Doughnuts, Coffee.  
LUNCHEON: Baked macaroni with cheese, Beet and celery salad, Baking powder biscuits, Cottage Fudling, Lemon sauce, tea.  
DINNER: Shrimp cocktail, Broiled halibut, Escalloped Potatoes, Broccoli, hollandaise sauce, Waldorf salad, French dressing, Baked apricot pudding, Coffee.

## Chocolate Roll

This consists of sponge cake spread with chocolate cream sauce or filling and rolled up like a jelly roll.  
Separate five eggs. Beat the yolks until lemon color, and thick. Gradually add one cup sugar. While beating add juice and rind of one-half orange, one-fourth teaspoon salt, baking powder. Mix well. Lastly add the egg whites beaten stiff. This amount will fill a pan 10 to 17 inches. When baked it is turned out on a wire cake cooler.

## Club Plans to Beautify City

Members of the Garden club met at the Mueserville library Monday afternoon. Preceding the program a business session was held. Plans were further discussed for the planting of live Christmas trees on the lawn over the entire city this plan is to add to the beauty of Mueserville.

"English Gardens" was the main topic at the program meeting of the club. Mrs. W. A. Hill gave an interesting account of "Formal English Gardens." Mrs. F. D. Millar entertained the group with her paper on "Old-Fashioned English Gardens."

A question and answer discussion on spring bulbs was conducted by Mrs. George Herman followed by "Legends of Spring Flowers" contributed by various members of the club.

The group will meet again March 23.

## Silks and Satins Set Mode in New Spring Blouses

PARIS—Blouses were never better than this spring. They come in both the tuck-in and peep-out varieties, in all kinds of soft silks and satins and are nearly all sleeveless. They are worn with skirts of contrasting color and material. Often a jacket to match the blouse is worn under the coat that matches the skirt. This combination is to be seen at Yvonne Carrette's in a blue and red ensemble with jacket and blouse in plaid. The skirt is dark blue.

A bisque pique blouse comes with a green tweed suit and another in white linen is checked in blue and green. An all-over wool lace blouse has the scallop design of the lace repeated in the scalloped hem of the skirt.  
Yvonne puts a charming striped silk blouse with a blue wool suit and lines the jacket with the same. It has a novel color effect and belt of the silk sewed on the skirt and tied over the top.

## Girl Reserves Have Important Role at the "Y"

The following article is the section of a series of stories prepared by members of the Young Women's Christian Association telling of the different phases of work and play obtainable for women and girls at the association.

"One of the biggest phases of Y. W. A. work is the work of the young girls, in the Girl Reserve Clubs. We work mostly with the girls in the grade schools as they are the ones who need guidance in spiritual and mental life. As we do not have a regular Girl Reserve Secretary, Miss Lucy Milligan, General Secretary, Miss Irene Lange, Assistant Secretary, and Mrs. O. L. Peck, Chairman of Girl Reserve Committee, in cooperation with the Girl Reserve Committee supervise the work of the Girl Reserves."

Mrs. Peck's committee consists of Mrs. L. R. Henderson, Mrs. Carl Kautz, Mrs. Herman Kornemann, Mrs. Arthur Matthews, Mrs. Ralph Romman, Mrs. Allen Smalley, and Mrs. Sheldon Schreurs. Every phase of Girl Reserve work from the music to the publicity is supervised by these very capable women.

The work of the Girl Reserves is carried out on three themes, body, mind, and spirit. Meetings are devoted to health discussions, hikes, first aid, and games for the development of the body.

The meetings of the intellectual nature are those devoted to the election of officers, becoming familiar with the parliamentary rules for conducting a business meeting, learning Girl Reserve songs, the Code, and the Purpose.

Under the meetings of a spiritual nature are the special services held at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter, and the club of course is used to open each meeting, very often roll call is answered with Bible verses, and some clubs work on religious puzzles.

For social recreation the "Y" gives three or four parties during the year for all the Girl Reserves. Each Saturday morning girls are given a free plunge and during the week they are allowed the use of the gym after school for basketball games, which of course tends to develop good bodies. The Rescued Service which was held January 18th was valuable to the girls by first leaving on their minds the imprint of a very serious, and beautiful ceremony and also by taking them into the recognized circle of Girl Reserves.

In the summer just after school is out, the girls are taken out to the Rotary Club camp for a five-day period of camp life. To earn their way the girls sell jello in the early spring. Very often some girls are given a free plunge and during the week they are allowed the use of the gym after school for basketball games, which of course tends to develop good bodies. The Rescued Service which was held January 18th was valuable to the girls by first leaving on their minds the imprint of a very serious, and beautiful ceremony and also by taking them into the recognized circle of Girl Reserves.

There is one club of High School Girls called the H. Y. The girls carry on their meetings twice a month. Besides their regular programs the girls have taken up the study of First Aid and have also had classes in Handicraft. Last year they sent one club girl to the Okoboli Conference, and in the fall the cabinet spent the week-end at Archie Allen Camp, at Port Byron, Ill., at which time they discussed plans for the year's work.

There are six Grade School Girl Reserve Clubs and the one high school club as follows: Jackson Girl Reserves—Membership of 25—Advisors, Miss Irene Lange and Miss June Larson; Lincoln Girl Reserves—Membership of 30—Advisors, Mrs. Harbaugh; Garfield Girl Reserves—Membership of 30—Advisors, Miss Gladys McCune and Miss Jewell Schroder; Franklin Girl Reserves—Membership of 25—Advisors, Miss Edna Rummels; Washington Girl Reserves—Membership of 30—Advisors, Miss Irene Lange; McKinley Girl Reserves—Membership of 15—Advisors, Mrs. Carl Houde; Hi-Tri—High School Membership of 30—Advisor, Miss Henrietta Terry.

## Fidelity Club Has Session

The Fidelity club of the United Brethren Sunday School held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Grace Hankins, 509 East Ninth street Monday afternoon. Mrs. Hankins led in prayer.

Bunco formed the pastime later in the afternoon and Miss Talma Phillips won first prize. Refreshments were served and twenty participants enjoyed the affair.

## "Church Night" to Be Observed

"Church Night" will be observed at the Park Avenue Methodist church Thursday evening. A potluck supper will be enjoyed at 6:30 o'clock followed by a religious program. After the services a social hour will be held. Members of the Martha class of the Sunday school will sponsor the affair.

Fan-pans are used as a smart trimming on many crepe and marocain afternoon dresses, appearing on sleeves above and below the elbow and on the side-front where the frocks fasten. Cordorons are also prevalent, sometimes set in as panels or the skirt. A new spring blouse has pleated ruffles on the tabs that tie at the neck and they are also used on the sleeves and ruffles about the waist.

Two eggs  
One cup sugar  
Two cups flour  
Four whole eggs  
Two teaspoons baking powder  
Flour enough to make a soft dough  
Two teaspoons lemon juice  
Mix in the order given.  
Add two slightly rounded tablespoons of flour to one and one-half cups powdered sugar. Mix thoroughly. Over this pour one pint of cream or half cream and one-half milk. The added whites of three eggs beaten stiff. Add nutmeg. Bake in pie crust without top.

## PRINTS

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## Social Affairs Announced For Ensuing Weeks

Plans were discussed for the presentation of a play at the meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America held Monday evening at the Knights of Columbus hall. The group will give the play for friends of the members and March 23 is the date set for the affair. As yet the name of the production has not been decided. A committee including Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Helen O'Brien, Mrs. Mildred Fogarty and Mrs. Martha Leyen will arrange the details of the entertainment.

On April 6 the Catholic Daughters will give their annual Easter ball in the Gold Room of the Hotel Muscatine. The general committee in charge of this function include Mrs. Margaret Stapleton, Mrs. Elizabeth Ryan, Miss Agatha Deitloff and Miss Bertha Oberhaus. Cards will furnish an added attraction of the evening.

## Miss Lindee Is Group Hostess

Miss Juanita Lindee was hostess to members of the Ella chapter of the World Wide Guild Monday night at her home, 110 Union street. Fifteen members were present and one visitor, Miss Viola Schafer. After the business meeting the guests spent the remaining hours socially and refreshments were served.

## Bridge-Auction and Contract

By the Authority, MILTON C. WORE

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THE VALUE OF A DISCARD  
With the above hand, played at Auction Bridge, South would bid one Heart, West one Spade, North two Hearts, and after East's pass South would obtain a Heart contract.

At Contract Bridge South would bid one Heart, West one Spade, North two Hearts, and after East's pass South would bid four Hearts as his hand contains the strength (5½ tricks) to justify that declaration after a partner's pass. As a matter of fact, it has almost—if not all of the 6 tricks which would justify an original two-bid.

In the play West opened with the King of Spades. South won with the Ace and led a trump. East's Ace won and he led the Jack of Spades which held the trick. East then led the Queen of Diamonds. South took with the Ace and pulled East's remaining trump. South then led a Club which West took and cashed a Diamond, making one trick in each suit and saving game.

Could the game have been won?  
The Correct Play  
After winning the first trick, Declarer should have seen that if South trumped immediately the result would be as above; but by leading a Club towards dummy's Queen, the adverse Ace would be forced out and of course the adversaries would win a Spade and the Ace of Hearts. But when South won with the Ace of Diamonds, he would have two good Clubs if West won the first Club trick, one if he held up until the second round; in either event dummy could discard a losing Diamond on the third round of Clubs.

Playing it this way the Declarer would not lose a Diamond trick and game would be made.  
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## A Husband at Her Heels - - By Mildred Barbour - -

CHAPTER 27  
"Soon," she promised desperately. "But you must remember, darling, that Dick is a very busy man. He works hard and conscientiously."

Her mother sighed, disappointment mirrored in her eyes.  
"If he waits long, it may be too late," she murmured pathetically. Celia knelt beside the bed and put her arms around her mother's frail shoulders.  
"Don't you dare to talk like that! I'd die, if anything happened to you. You're all I have in the world," she declared recklessly.  
Her mother's eyes opened wide. "Why, Celia, there's your husband," her mother exclaimed.  
"Oh, yes. Yes, of course," Celia caught herself hastily. "But no husband on earth could mean what you mean to me."  
She went down stairs, more than ever troubled. What was she going to do about this non-existent husband, whom her mother demanded to see?

She was torn between two conflicting desires—the desire to make her mother happy, and the longing to let Tom Harrington know that she was free to marry again.  
"Where is your pride?" she asked herself despairingly. "Do you mean that you'd marry Tom, after the way he treated you?"  
Her heart answered for her, and she realized that her love was stronger than her pride.  
She wrote to Annesley, thanking him for the roses and saying: "You were kind, but you must not do that again. I have already demanded too much of you. Nevertheless, for my mother's sake, I am enclosing another letter for you to send. I blush for it, but I'll explain that it was not I who wrote it. I have a friend whose sense of humor is irrepressible, and it amuses her to dictate such awkward sentiment, just to embarrass me."

Annesley's reply was: "I read and copied your enclosed letter with appreciation. But I'll confess I was relieved to learn its source. I had believed that you were, perhaps, copying a real love-letter sent you by one of your suitors. And call me a jealous and exacting friend, if you like, but, somehow, that idea didn't please me."

She laughed and tore up the letter, mindful of the prying eyes of Miss Page. Later she was thankful she had done so, for she found the woman in the kitchen, carefully going over the contents of a wastebasket that the maid had just emptied.  
Miss Page had the grace to blush, but she was quick with an excuse. "I inadvertently threw out a letter I very much want to keep, and I'm trying to locate it in the trash . . . Isn't it funny, Mrs. Falconer, how we women always destroy the wrong thing when we go in for a burst of cleaning?"  
The voice was so sweet, the eyes so guileless.  
"It is!" said Celia dryly, and left the kitchen, much disturbed.  
The girl, doing this before, and had she, Celia, always remembered to destroy, bit by bit, Annesley's real communications to herself?

Day after day, the invalid fretfully asked when her son-in-law would arrive. The doctor looked grave when he made his visits, and he said to Celia:  
"Something is troubling her. Do you know what it is? If you do, make every effort to correct it, because her condition is precarious just now."

In desperation, Celia appealed to Gwen.  
"What on earth am I going to do?"  
Gwen shrugged.  
"Simple, my dear. Your nice Mr. Annesley has posed as your husband—on paper. Ask him to pose in person, for a day or two."

Celia was aghast at Gwen's suggestion that she ask Annesley to visit her and pose as her husband for the sake of her mother's peace of mind.

"Oh, Gwen, I couldn't. I'd die of shame. Besides, how do I know he could or would do it? He has an enormous practice. He might not be able to get away, even if he didn't scorn the very idea."

"Nonsense! He's your attorney, as well as your friend. From what you've told me of him, I think the man has a sense of humor. The situation would probably amuse him."

Celia put her hands to her temples.  
"Oh, I can't. I can't!"  
"Then what's to be done?" she demanded Gwen sensibly. "You adore your mother. Dr. Barrett says it's absolutely necessary to humor her. She's fretting herself into a collapse, because her son-in-law doesn't come to see her. Your duty is plain."

Celia knew that something had to be done. All that day she fought with herself, trying to down her embarrassment at the thought of making such a request of Annesley. But, on the other hand, she had to humor her mother.

The invalid had spent a restless night. She said to Celia, the next morning:  
"I think I'm dying. Oh, my dear child, before I go, I want to see the man to whom you've given your life. I want him to promise me that he will love and cherish and protect you. I can't forget those terrible days last year when you were all alone and people were gossiping about you. I used to wake in the night, after terrible dreams, seeing you alone and friendless, and without money, imagining all the dreadful things that can happen to a girl as pretty and attractive as you, when she has no one to protect her. Darling, I must see your husband!"

Celia was frantic. But still she told herself that she couldn't foist upon her mother a man who was not her husband—even Annesley, if he would play the role.

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### Expert Medical Testimony

A correspondent today calls attention to the opposite views expressed by medical experts in testimony at the Kirkland trial. When members standing high in the profession disagree to such a marked extent in a case where a human life may well depend on the findings, is it any wonder that people are beginning to question the correctness of the deductions of less well known members of the profession?

It may be noted that after all, in this particular case, it is left to laymen, the members of the jury, to decide who is correct. Their verdict, if they reach a verdict, will be sanctioned by law, with the law itself being invoked by motions for a new trial, appeals, etc.

But when another layman, Norman Baker, dares to question this profession he is not only persecuted but persecuted, without even an attempt to secure the facts.

Where is the justice in that?

### Go It, Little Muskies

The Muscatine High school basketball team has hurdled its first obstacle in winning the district tournament here. By defeating Lone Tree, 32 to 22, Saturday evening, John Barko and his mates are now qualified to enter the sectional tournament at Davenport where they stack up against the home team in their first encounter Thursday evening. As it is certain a large number of Davenport fans will be on hand to support their team it behooves the Muscatine fans to make arrangements to be among those present that night so that

the local boys will have all possible support in the contest.

While all Muscatine wants to see the Muskies win, and the dope indicates the Kinnam crew should cop, the fans must not forget to be good sports in the event of a defeat. The boys have already made a record that any team could be proud of. Marching through the regular season without a defeat and winning the tournament here is an achievement in itself. We all want to see them win, of course, and then go on to the state tournament and bring the championship to Muscatine, but if there should be a slip somewhere along the line, we must not forget the boys did their best which is all that can be expected of any one.

### "And The Old Gray Mare"

Once upon a time we drove out to the farm with our grandfather. It was a three-mile jaunt. The hoofs of "Doll," the old gray mare, used to go "kaswish" as each step sank deeply into the quagmire that was called a road. If all went well, we arrived at the farm in the course of a half hour where eggs, garden produce, butter and ice were duly loaded into the compartment in back of the buggy and hauled back to town. It was quite an event.

About a year ago we went back to that same farm. The only thing similar in that trip was the three miles. It was made over a concrete road in an automobile in one-fifth the time required when "horse power" was in vogue. But there seemed to be something lacking. Maybe it was because we had lost our youthful enthusiasm for "going on journeys."

However, a comparison of the two trips was a demonstration of progress, or is it progress?

Eighty years ago when one wanted to communicate with the gold seekers in California his message was sent by wagon train over the plains which required months for delivery.

Today you can deliver a message over those same 2,000 miles and receive an answer in ten minutes.

Yes, we are saving time these days but what are we doing with the time saved?

Railroad trains, fast steamships, the radio, telephone, telephone, the airplane, all speed up existence and give us a chance to do far more than we ever could in the old days but wherein is the advantage to us? We have more time but we also possess the ability to waste it.

Knowing that messages can be sent almost instantly, that machinery does for us the hard work we once did with our hands, we sit back and let the time slip by.

It was once supposed that with all these modern devices people would become more intelligent and do far more toward ending such ills as poverty and crime. But that does not appear to be the case. We live longer, by time saving, it is true, but it is open to doubt whether we live any more wisely than did the people of a century ago before mechanical progress "did the chores."

### The Auto Death Toll

Somebody has figured it out that during the 18 months of the World War 50,510 members of the American Expeditionary force were killed in action or died of wounds, while during the 18 months up to January 1 last 50,900 people were killed in automobile accidents in the United States. This is a striking illustration of the seriousness of the automobile accident situation in this country.

The Travelers Insurance Co., has made a survey of the causes of automobile accidents in 1930. The leading cause, accounting for 15 per cent of the deaths and 31.5 per cent of the injuries, was failure to give the right of way. Excessive speed came second. This accounted for 21 per cent of all accidents. Driving on the wrong side of the road came third. This represented 16 per cent.

All three of the causes can be eliminated if drivers observe ordinary caution. There is no excuse for excessive speed, no excuse for failure to give the right of way and most certainly there is no reason for driving on the wrong side of the road. While laws provide penalties they do not prevent any one of these three causes. The only ones who can prevent them are the auto drivers themselves. So much has been written, there has been such publicity, that it would seem car operators should be "getting next to themselves" by this time. But the mounting death toll proves otherwise. Nothing can be gained until the auto owner comes to a full realization that his car is a potential dealer of death. And that seems to be very remote according to present prospects.

Have you heard about the new drink, Einstein of beer? Two drinks and the place gets full of bent space.

A Chicago social worker says that a receding chin is a social asset. "Men with receding chins have charm, listen well and their repartee cannot be excelled," she reports. And by inviting a few carefully selected guests with low foreheads against a dull moment.

One of the things causing Mahatma Gandhi to stand out as a great man is the fact that he refuses to indorse any shaving cream, discuss a radio contract or even listen to offers from the motion picture magnates.

### Our Platform for the People Is:

1. Less taxation.
2. Fewer late commissions.
3. Universal school books.
4. Lower freight rates.
5. Return of river transportation.
6. A cleanup of some state institutions.
7. More efficiency in public offices.

Worth Trying  
Maybe some bright congressman could sneak over a Volstead Repeal measure by tucking it into the drought relief bill.

Hard Luck  
Poor Mr. Ghandi! He never will be able to get money for his cause by selling photographs of himself.

Giving It a Start  
Probably if Mr. Rasbok does acquire the Democratic party he'll reorganize it and call in General Voters.

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The wisdom of a woman who is vain of her beauty is equal to that of a man who is vain of his brains.

The hawk may go his wicked ways  
For anything we care  
Until upon the quail he preys  
Or makes the snipe his fare.  
And then we lay him by the heels  
Because, when craving meat,  
The taloned pirate makes his meals  
On birds we want to eat.

We rear and nurture countless trout—  
Weak infants, known as fry—  
And in the rivers turn them out  
So they may multiply.  
But sad and hapless is their plight  
When they grow up—for when  
They're big and strong enough to bite  
We catch them back again.

There seems to be a moral here  
But it eludes my mind:  
Both men and animals are queer  
And savage and unkind.  
Man, beast and insect, Nature's laws  
Instinctively obey,  
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### Learn to Know the Right Word

By W. C. Nicholson

"OBJECTIONABLE EXPRESSION"  
The following letter has been received from John M. Denney of Depew, Oka.:

"I received my grade on the Winter Test and wish to thank you. I shall not use the expression, 'quite a few,' again."

"To study your corrections of my paper I referred to 'Crowell's Dictionary of English Grammar.' To my utter surprise I found that 'quite a few' is an objectionable expression. I have for as long ago as I can remember heard persons whom I thought to be educated use this expression. But I was unable to find anything definite about the words 'would' and 'about,' as used in the test sentences 5 and 9, respectively."

"I wish to offer here a sentence which I should be glad if you would discuss in 'The Right Word' column as you find it convenient. The sentence is 'The boy was named John.'"

"A noun or pronoun is said to be in the nominative case when it is used as a predicate word in a sentence. Thus: 'The boy was named John.' I think that 'named' is a passive verb, that 'John' is not a predicate word, and that the information is erroneous. What do you say?"

Answer: "Was named" is a passive verb, and "John" is the predicate nominative, or predicate noun. Your grammar is correct. (Copyright, 1931)

### Daily Puzzle

WHAT SLANG TERM FOR AN EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT IS THIS?

Yesterday's Answer: You could not see the teeth in a circular saw when running.

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But it eludes my mind:  
Both men and animals are queer  
And savage and unkind.  
Man, beast and insect, Nature's laws  
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### "PNEUMONIA"

Due to the open winter and unseasonable weather, respiratory diseases, such as the flu, bronchitis, coughs, and pneumonia, have been, and are, very prevalent.

Many times this is a fatal disease, due in many instances to the type of treatment used.

If you asked a man to help you, and you tied his hands and feet, you wouldn't receive very much help from him.

Pneumonia is one disease where-in we must positively work with nature if we want to save the patient. It cannot be done if we follow out some of the orthodox methods of treatment consisting of drugs, teas, medicines, etc. The use of drugs and medicines for pneumonia is simply tying the hands and feet of nature by inhibiting the parenchyma of the body, thereby blocking nature's efforts.

To a person who does not know of the simple, rational methods of treating pneumonia, they might feel that unless they were forcing pills, medicines and chemicals into a patient they were not doing enough.

More often we do too much in the wrong direction, forgetting that nature is fully competent to do its own healing.

True healing is found in nature and not in unknown specifics which are often old time failures dressed up with a new name. Instead of reaching for the pill-box in case a person has pneumonia, give him some nice cold water; a little at a time. After that give him some more cold water, a swallow at a time. In fact, give water from start to finish. Remember the patient has a fever and the water will do more than anything else. You might be surprised now if you were told that this practically constitutes the internal treatment.

In connection with this simple treatment, mix up some hot lard, turpentine, and onion juice; applying this to the chest and upper back twice a day. A sleeveless flannel jacket should be worn; arranged so that it can be opened to apply the lard and turpentine. The jacket can be made large enough so that it can be lapped over in front two or three inches and pinned. Do not put on any clays or muffs.

Don't forget to give the patient cold water, a little at a time. A case is recalled in which the patient was better satisfied with hot water than with cold water. No harm will be done if the patient wants some kind of fruit juice in the water. The same patient would be come rigid and tense when cold cloths were applied to the head. Some people cannot stand the ap-

plication of cold to their bodies when they are sick. This is, however, the exception, and the treatment as outlined should be followed unless some personal idiosyncrasy is manifested by the patient.

The pneumonia patient has to eat, so we will now consider this problem from the same sane, simple angle, as the rest of the treatment. The usual routine is meat-broths, soups, milk and eggs, gruels, custards, etc. The foods are highly protein in character; a good feeder for fever. Pneumonia patients have a fever of probably 104 degrees.

While the patient has a fever let us try vegetable feeding, avoiding those foods which may over-tax digestion and clog the intestines. Vegetables, carefully cooked, and the more fibrous ones strained through a sieve if necessary, will sustain the patient, will not clog the intestines, and will not feed the fever.

Back in 1918, when the flu epidemic claimed so many victims, both in, and out of the army, a larger percentage of patients was saved by a similar treatment than by the orthodox methods used in the army, or out of it.

Put away your fears, and have confidence in the efficiency of an uncomplicated, simple routine, as herein described.

Another important factor is fresh air. Fresh air and water, all the time. Have a window open. If no screens are at hand, tie two high-backed chairs in front of the window, over these chairs throw a blanket, or similar article, and spread it out. A sick person needs oxygen as well as a healthy person.

A routine of the simple measures may seem lacking in many things. It is not. It is efficient, and complete, outside of a few little measures which are done in all cases of sickness.

A good rule is to find, or determine the condition—fix it—then let it alone. A set will not get well if



## SUES SWIFT CO. FOR \$8,500 IN INJURY ACTION

A. Kantor, Davenport, Claims Truck Caused Wreck

Damages in the sum of \$8,500 for personal injuries and the wrecking of his car on highway No. 61, Feb. 10, 1931, are claimed in a suit filed in district court today by A. Kantor of Davenport against Swift and company.

In the petition filed by Attorney Howard E. Kopf and Chamberlain and Chamberlain, Kantor claims that William L. Hiller, the driver of a truck belonging to the defendants was negligent in causing his Buick sedan, which he was driving from Davenport to Muscatine, to swerve from the road and upset, one mile east of Muscatine.

Kantor alleges that Hiller turned out to pass a car driven by C. F. Borchardt, who was also going in opposite direction as that followed by Kantor. As a result, he was forced off the paving, Kantor alleges, his car overturned and was badly damaged.

He claims to have suffered the fracture of two ribs, injuries to his spine, nervous shock and injuries and bruises to his body. He asks \$800 for damage to his car and the balance for personal injuries.

## D. D. WEBSTER STROKE VICTIM

Former Louisa County Man Was Prominent In Public Life

David D. Webster, 72, former state representative and county supervisor, died at his home, 1878 Washington street, early this morning following a stroke.

Mr. Webster suffered an attack of paralysis while in Florida six years ago, and has been practically helpless since. For the last year he has been confined to bed.

Mr. Webster was born in Louisa county May 2, 1858. In 1881 he married Miss Anna Lane in Muscatine. Until 1912, when he moved to Muscatine, he was a farmer in Louisa county. He was always active in public affairs, having been a member of the county board of supervisors and a member of the 28th general assembly. At the time of his death he was a member of the Mulford Congregational church and a member of the M. W. A. Court of Honor.

Besides the widow, Mr. Webster is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Nellie W. Spring; a son, Harry D. Webster, Muscatine; seven grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

The funeral will be held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday from the Fairbanks home for funerals with the Rev. C. W. Hemstead of the Mulford Congregational church officiating. Burial will be made in Greenwood cemetery.

## SPANS BURNED: BLAME MINERS

Transportation From Illinois Coal Pits Severed

Benton, Ill.—(INS)—The burning of two bridges between Christopher and Buckner, Ill., near here early today was interpreted by Franklin county authorities as another development in the bitter controversy between miners and mine owners which has been raging in this section within the past few weeks.

The two bridges were on "lead" lines of the C. B. and Q. railroad, connecting the mines with the main properties. Old Ben number 14 mine, which has been the center of picketing activities, is located at Buckner.

Saturday Sheriff Browning Robinson of Franklin county dispersed miners picketing Old Ben number 14 and Old Ben number 8 at Ben Franklin early a score of pistols.

At a meeting of Franklin and Williamson county officials over the weekend it was decided to keep the mines clear of pickets and armed deputies have been patrolling them. The picketing activities resulted from the refusal of operators to grant the petition of miners for an equal division of time among the Old Ben miners. This would make miners in the working mines share their time with idle mines at Old Ben mines that were not working.

## Find Missing Girl With Head Cut Off

SAN DIEGO, Cal.—(INS)—The body of Virginia Brooks, 10-year old school girl who disappeared from her home here Feb. 11, was found today, wrapped in burlap on Camp Kearney mesa, 10 miles south of here.

Blake Mason, deputy sheriff of San Diego county, who found the body, said the girl had been decapitated and her arms and legs had been cut off.

## Over Million Paid By Closed Banks

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—L. A. Andrew, state superintendent of banking, revealed today that more than \$1,000,000 in payments to depositors in 31 closed banks in the state have been approved by the courts. Distribution of the dividends is now being made.

## Arraigned in 'Love Syndicate'



Clarice Tauber, 16 years old, who was arraigned in Los Angeles as one of the girls furnished to wealthy clients for parties by "love syndicate." The syndicate maintained a card index of clients and girls available as entertainers.



The above photo shows John F. Mills, wealthy broker and lumberman, who is alleged to have been visited in his hotel room by Miss Tauber.

## STATE CHURCH BODY PLANNED

Local Ministers to Arrange Details Of Organizing

Plans for the organization of a state federation of churches were discussed at a meeting of the Muscatine county Ministerial association held in the Mulford Congregational church Monday.

The movement to form such an organization is being led by the minister in Muscatine county. The Rev. Joseph Neugard of Wilton and the Rev. C. W. Merrild of the First Congregational church here, were named to further the plan.

A list of all religious and semi-religious societies seeking donations in Muscatine county, together with the information as to whether or not they are approved by the ministers will be prepared, it was decided at the meeting. This list will be on file and anyone interested may consult it at any time. The Rev. Vernon Shontz, of the First Baptist church and the Rev. Benjamin Schwartz, of the First Methodist church, were appointed to have charge of the tabulations. It is claimed that at present a number of groups are soliciting funds in the county declaring that they have the approval of the ministerial church. Some of them, however, have never approached officials of the local association in an effort to secure their approval of the company they represent.

Devotions at Monday's meeting were under the direction of the Rev. C. W. Hemstead, pastor of the Mulford Congregational church. A paper on the Council of Trent was given by the Rev. Schwartz and one on the origin and teachings of the Presbyterian church was read by the Rev. Mr. Lombard of Wilton.

## Her Man Film at A-Muse-U Tonight

A thrilling picture of Havana, "Her Man" starts at the A-Muse-U theater tonight. Phillips Holmes plays the male lead in this colorful story. The plot itself is sensational, telling the story of a bad girl who after attempting to go straight succeeds with the help of "her man." Petite Helen Twelveteens portrays the difficult role of the girl.

## Minor Damage Is Caused by Fires, Result of Sparks

Fire caused by sparks from a chimney at the residence of W. Stoker, 317 East Seventh street, at 11:15 o'clock this morning, caused a loss of between \$25 and \$50, when a large hole was burned in the roof. A general alarm was answered by trucks from the No. 1 and 2 stations. Firemen used 60 gallons of chemicals to put out the flames. Making another run at 1:05 o'clock this afternoon to the home of M. Whitaker, 605 East Sixth street, the No. 1 and 2 trucks extinguished a minor roof fire with chemicals.

## STATE BEGINS DRIVE AGAINST 1930 LICENSES

Order 175 Delinquent Car Owners to Pay at Once

In a drive directed against cars whose owners have failed to procure license plates for 1931, Ray L. Crabb, state automobile inspector, with assistance of a squad of local police officers Monday night and today tagged approximately 175 cars with notices for the owners to appear at the court house and take out permits at once.

All drivers whose cars were tagged are subject to fines of from \$1 to \$100 for failure to pay the money for the licenses at once, Mr. Crabb said today.

"Many seem to have overlooked the fact that all automobile licenses were due on Jan. 1, 1931, and in checking over the list here, we find that there are about 800 who are delinquent in the payment of fees. "Anyone found driving cars with out license plates on the public highways will be subject to arrest," he said.

Mr. Crabb left the city this afternoon but stated he would return here in a short time and personally direct the final campaign against delinquent drivers.

## MASSE TO BE HERE IN APRIL

Revival Services to Be Held in First Baptist Church

Date of the revival services to be held in the First Baptist church here by Dr. J. C. Masse was announced today as April 7 to 19, by the Rev. Vernon Shontz, pastor of the church. Meetings will be conducted by the evangelist each afternoon and evening with the exception of Saturday evening, it was announced. The afternoon services will be given over to Bible teaching.

Dr. Masse is reported to be one of the foremost pulpits orators in the United States. For seven years he was pastor of Carmount Temple in Boston and a short time ago he conducted revival services in Marion, Ind., in which all Protestant churches of the city joined.

He will come to Muscatine from Florida and at the close of the series of services here will go to California.

## No Reserved Seats for Local Fans at Davenport Tourney

Muscatine high school officials today learned that there would be no reserved seats for local high school basketball fans at the district tournament to be held at Davenport Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

It was said, however, that an effort on the part of the Davenport school authorities would be made in an attempt to seat the local fans in a group but in order to do this they must arrive early for all the games.

## MASQUERADE TO SKIP TAX

German Ships Hoist The Flag of Panama

BERLIN.—(INS)—Heavy taxation is driving German shipping from the seas . . . or at least, to seek the status afforded by foreign flags.

Considerable indignation has been roused by this action, a large part of the German press has denounced it as a "Panama scandal," because in two cases German freight steamers hoisted the colors of Panama.

While the authorities declare that they have no legal means to interfere, the ship owners have admitted that the action was taken in order to be freed from the heavy social and tax burdens connected with shipping under the German flag.

Some export traders have announced that they will boycott in future all German ships sailing under foreign flags.

The "Panama scandal" was brought to light when the Hamburg shipping firm of Vögele and Brothers dismissed the crews of their two 4,000 ton freight steamers "Vogel" and "Vogel" and announced a twenty-five per cent wage reduction for able seamen.

The owners stated that the privilege of carrying the Panama flag, cost them 1500 marks. The moment the ships have hoisted the foreign flags the firm is no longer compelled to bear the social burdens and taxes connected with German shipping.

Other shipping firms have hoisted the Latvian flag, for similar reasons.

Motorman Killed In Car Collision

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—Guy Warren, and H. E. Sudbrook, both street car motormen, were seriously injured and a woman, Miss Susan Hearty, a passenger, was hurt, in a head-on crash of two street cars Monday.

Lefty Grove is the strikework champion of baseball but he has never touched the record left by Rube Waddell who fanned 336 in one season.

## Sound Corner

Spring vacation in the Muscatine schools will start March 30 and continue for the balance of the week, it was announced today by E. A. Sparling, city superintendent of schools. Classes will be resumed Monday April 6 and then dismissed Wednesday, April 8 on account of the teachers' convention here the rest of the week.

Hans J. Mohrman, who injured his left hip when he slipped and fell during last Saturday's blizzard, was reported resting comfortably today. It was not yet determined whether or not his hip is fractured. Four X-rays have been taken but none show any signs of broken bones.

John H. Coster, secretary of the Master Builders, has returned to his home at Des Moines after a several day's visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Coster, 105 East Fifth street.

A number of Muscatine men interested in the Muscatine Canal project are now in Des Moines to be present in the state legislature when the bill providing for construction of the canal comes up for passage in the house of representatives. It is expected the bill will be acted upon today or Wednesday.

The Rev. Karl Jeschke, pastor of the Protestant Evangelical church, announces that the Elmhurst College Glee Club of Chicago, Ill., will give a concert at the church April 23. There will be no charge for admission.

The Junior College Y Club held its weekly luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria this noon. A general discussion of business followed the luncheon.

The vote in Monday's school election will be canvassed at a meeting of the school board of directors Monday night at the city hall. Officers of the board will also be elected at the meeting.

Two changes in the cast of "The Queen's Husband," the play to be presented April 7 and 8 by the high school faculty, have been made. It was announced today. Frank Howe will take the role of Lord Burton and Henry Van Hettinga will be seen as Fred Grant. Rehearsals are under the direction of Miss Lucille Kautz, dramatic director.

The Muscatine Junior College Bulletin, year book of the college, will be off the press some time in April, according to announcement made today. The book is being prepared under the direction of Miss Willette Strahan, dean, Gertrude Hendricks, Margaret Asthalter, Simon Rosenberg, Glen Fairall and Virgil Godfrey.

Miss Lou Shepherd and Fred Cram of the extension department of the Iowa State Teachers' college at Cedar Rapids, will be in Muscatine Wednesday to prepare a new course of reading in the local schools. Conferences will be held with the various city school teachers.

Under the direction of Mrs. M. A. Brown, director of music at the Jackson school, the school orchestra is preparing programs to be given at the annual teachers' convention here April 9 and 10. The American Woodwind and Percussion bands will also furnish entertainment at the convention, Mrs. Brown said.

Five Muscatine high school classes banked 100 per cent today, it was announced by Principal H. Van Hettinga. The classes are those taught by Mrs. Dorothy Carleton, Miss Margaret E. Dwyer, Miss Margaret Kemmle, Lindsey Hoopes and Lyman Green. Total deposits amounted to \$103.50.

Bruce Chase, Virginia Eichenauer, an R. K. O. artist, and Simon Rosenberg, of radio station KINT, will be on the program at the weekly high school assembly Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edgington of First avenue announce the birth of a son this morning.

School Superintendent Roy Hanum of Ottumwa was in Muscatine today to confer with E. A. Sparling, local superintendent of schools, about the meeting of the Southern Iowa Teachers' association to be held here April 9 and 10.

The body of Anton Schmitz, 77, who died here Monday, was returned this morning to Mount Calvary, Wisconsin, where burial will be made.

Hog receipts today were 261 head, including a carload from I. E. Grady of Kalona, Ia.

Deeds recorded today at the office of County Recorder G. G. Parks included the following: William Hickey to Charles O. Duncan, lots 8 and 9, Park Place addition, Muscatine; August Meyer to Robert Brooke, property in section 2, township 78; Della Watson to Della D. Tipton, property in section 2, township 78.

Tom Conway, Muscatine, registered a new Ford coupe, and Elvin Carter, 708 East Eighth street, a new Ford touring sedan at the county automobile bureau Monday.

Results of the calf feeding by members of the Muscatine County Baby Beef club for the month of February, will be announced Wednesday, by Carl Rylander, county farm agent, here announced today.

A building permit has been issued to E. J. Asthalter for the construction of an asphalt roof on a new building on West Fifth street between Pine and Chestnut streets.

Mrs. J. L. Ewing of 606 Chestnut street, with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Henderson, her mother, Mrs. W. S. Vanatta, and some friends, drove to Cedar Rapids today to visit relatives there. They will return tonight. The friends with Mrs. Ewing are Mrs. Clarence Butts of Muscatine and Mrs. Frazee of Chicago.

## Complete Market Reports

### WHEAT HOLDS STEADY, CORN PRICES DROP

Early Strength Disappears at Close of Market

CHICAGO.—(INS)—After ruling higher during the forenoon today, the corn market suffered a sharp setback as early buyers unloaded and pulled the general list along to a weaker close. Scattered pressure from local professionals was also witnessed late.

Final prices for corn were 1/2 to 3/4 lower; wheat unchanged to 1/4 off; oats steady to 1/4 lower and rye 1/2 to 3/4 off.

A strong undertone in corn featured forenoon trade in grain today. The market started 1/4 to 3/4 higher and gained further strength as the session progressed with broad buying and a scarcity of offerings. The upswing in values was prompted by the government estimate of farm reserves which showed stocks at 700,246,000 bushels, the lowest for this time of the year since 1902. Crop news was favorable. A slight increase in shipping demand was noted in overnight reports.

The department of agriculture estimated there were 160,283,000 bushels of wheat on farms on March 1. These figures were construed as bearish and showed an increase of 21,000,000 bushels over recent private estimates, but this factor was ignored in the wheat pit here as foreign markets were strong. The market managed to cover a slightly firmer range with an absence of pressure noted.

Weather over the winter wheat belt was generally fair and favorable. The Liverpool wheat market was 1/2 to 3/4 lower to 1/2 higher. Winnipeg was 1/2 to 3/4 higher.

Oats and rye held steady early with a featureless trade. Estimated carlot receipts were: Wheat 136, corn 97 and oats 14.

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close: WHEAT—No. 1 hard 79c; No. 2 hard 78c; sample grade hard 80c; No. 1 mixed 76c; No. 2 mixed 75c; No. 3 mixed 74c; No. 4 mixed 73c; No. 5 mixed 72c; No. 6 mixed 71c; No. 7 mixed 70c; No. 8 mixed 69c; No. 9 mixed 68c; No. 10 mixed 67c; No. 11 mixed 66c; No. 12 mixed 65c; No. 13 mixed 64c; No. 14 mixed 63c; No. 15 mixed 62c; No. 16 mixed 61c; No. 17 mixed 60c; No. 18 mixed 59c; No. 19 mixed 58c; No. 20 mixed 57c; No. 21 mixed 56c; No. 22 mixed 55c; No. 23 mixed 54c; No. 24 mixed 53c; No. 25 mixed 52c; No. 26 mixed 51c; No. 27 mixed 50c; No. 28 mixed 49c; No. 29 mixed 48c; No. 30 mixed 47c; No. 31 mixed 46c; No. 32 mixed 45c; No. 33 mixed 44c; No. 34 mixed 43c; No. 35 mixed 42c; No. 36 mixed 41c; No. 37 mixed 40c; No. 38 mixed 39c; No. 39 mixed 38c; No. 40 mixed 37c; No. 41 mixed 36c; No. 42 mixed 35c; No. 43 mixed 34c; No. 44 mixed 33c; No. 45 mixed 32c; No. 46 mixed 31c; No. 47 mixed 30c; No. 48 mixed 29c; No. 49 mixed 28c; No. 50 mixed 27c; No. 51 mixed 26c; No. 52 mixed 25c; No. 53 mixed 24c; No. 54 mixed 23c; No. 55 mixed 22c; No. 56 mixed 21c; No. 57 mixed 20c; No. 58 mixed 19c; No. 59 mixed 18c; No. 60 mixed 17c; No. 61 mixed 16c; No. 62 mixed 15c; No. 63 mixed 14c; No. 64 mixed 13c; No. 65 mixed 12c; No. 66 mixed 11c; No. 67 mixed 10c; No. 68 mixed 9c; No. 69 mixed 8c; No. 70 mixed 7c; No. 71 mixed 6c; No. 72 mixed 5c; No. 73 mixed 4c; No. 74 mixed 3c; No. 75 mixed 2c; No. 76 mixed 1c; No. 77 mixed 0c; No. 78 mixed 0c; No. 79 mixed 0c; No. 80 mixed 0c; No. 81 mixed 0c; No. 82 mixed 0c; No. 83 mixed 0c; No. 84 mixed 0c; No. 85 mixed 0c; No. 86 mixed 0c; No. 87 mixed 0c; No. 88 mixed 0c; No. 89 mixed 0c; No. 90 mixed 0c; No. 91 mixed 0c; No. 92 mixed 0c; No. 93 mixed 0c; No. 94 mixed 0c; No. 95 mixed 0c; No. 96 mixed 0c; No. 97 mixed 0c; No. 98 mixed 0c; No. 99 mixed 0c; No. 100 mixed 0c.

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close: CORN—No. 2 mixed 60c; No. 3 mixed 59c; No. 4 mixed 58c; No. 5 mixed 57c; No. 6 mixed 56c; No. 7 mixed 55c; No. 8 mixed 54c; No. 9 mixed 53c; No. 10 mixed 52c; No. 11 mixed 51c; No. 12 mixed 50c; No. 13 mixed 49c; No. 14 mixed 48c; No. 15 mixed 47c; No. 16 mixed 46c; No. 17 mixed 45c; No. 18 mixed 44c; No. 19 mixed 43c; No. 20 mixed 42c; No. 21 mixed 41c; No. 22 mixed 40c; No. 23 mixed 39c; No. 24 mixed 38c; No. 25 mixed 37c; No. 26 mixed 36c; No. 27 mixed 35c; No. 28 mixed 34c; No. 29 mixed 33c; No. 30 mixed 32c; No. 31 mixed 31c; No. 32 mixed 30c; No. 33 mixed 29c; No. 34 mixed 28c; No. 35 mixed 27c; No. 36 mixed 26c; No. 37 mixed 25c; No. 38 mixed 24c; No. 39 mixed 23c; No. 40 mixed 22c; No. 41 mixed 21c; No. 42 mixed 20c; No. 43 mixed 19c; No. 44 mixed 18c; No. 45 mixed 17c; No. 46 mixed 16c; No. 47 mixed 15c; No. 48 mixed 14c; No. 49 mixed 13c; No. 50 mixed 12c; No. 51 mixed 11c; No. 52 mixed 10c; No. 53 mixed 9c; No. 54 mixed 8c; No. 55 mixed 7c; No. 56 mixed 6c; No. 57 mixed 5c; No. 58 mixed 4c; No. 59 mixed 3c; No. 60 mixed 2c; No. 61 mixed 1c; No. 62 mixed 0c; No. 63 mixed 0c; No. 64 mixed 0c; No. 65 mixed 0c; No. 66 mixed 0c; No. 67 mixed 0c; No. 68 mixed 0c; No. 69 mixed 0c; No. 70 mixed 0c; No. 71 mixed 0c; No. 72 mixed 0c; No. 73 mixed 0c; No. 74 mixed 0c; No. 75 mixed 0c; No. 76 mixed 0c; No. 77 mixed 0c; No. 78 mixed 0c; No. 79 mixed 0c; No. 80 mixed 0c; No. 81 mixed 0c; No. 82 mixed 0c; No. 83 mixed 0c; No. 84 mixed 0c; No. 85 mixed 0c; No. 86 mixed 0c; No. 87 mixed 0c; No. 88 mixed 0c; No. 89 mixed 0c; No. 90 mixed 0c; No. 91 mixed 0c; No. 92 mixed 0c; No. 93 mixed 0c; No. 94 mixed 0c; No. 95 mixed 0c; No. 96 mixed 0c; No. 97 mixed 0c; No. 98 mixed 0c; No. 99 mixed 0c; No. 100 mixed 0c.

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close: OATS—No. 2 mixed 30c; No. 3 mixed 29c; No. 4 mixed 28c; No. 5 mixed 27c; No. 6 mixed 26c; No. 7 mixed 25c; No. 8 mixed 24c; No. 9 mixed 23c; No. 10 mixed 22c; No. 11 mixed 21c; No. 12 mixed 20c; No. 13 mixed 19c; No. 14 mixed 18c; No. 15 mixed 17c; No. 16 mixed 16c; No. 17 mixed 15c; No. 18 mixed 14c; No. 19 mixed 13c; No. 20 mixed 12c; No. 21 mixed 11c; No. 22 mixed 10c; No. 23 mixed 9c; No. 24 mixed 8c; No. 25 mixed 7c; No. 26 mixed 6c; No. 27 mixed 5c; No. 28 mixed 4c; No. 29 mixed 3c; No. 30 mixed 2c; No. 31 mixed 1c; No. 32 mixed 0c; No. 33 mixed 0c; No. 34 mixed 0c; No. 35 mixed 0c; No. 36 mixed 0c; No. 37 mixed 0c; No. 38 mixed 0c; No. 39 mixed 0c; No. 40 mixed 0c; No. 41 mixed 0c; No. 42 mixed 0c; No. 43 mixed 0c; No. 44 mixed 0c; No. 45 mixed 0c; No. 46 mixed 0c; No. 47 mixed 0c; No. 48 mixed 0c; No. 49 mixed 0c; No. 50 mixed 0c; No. 51 mixed 0c; No. 52 mixed 0c; No. 53 mixed 0c; No. 54 mixed 0c; No. 55 mixed 0c; No. 56 mixed 0c; No. 57 mixed 0c; No. 58 mixed 0c; No. 59 mixed 0c; No. 60 mixed 0c; No. 61 mixed 0c; No. 62 mixed 0c; No. 63 mixed 0c; No. 64 mixed 0c; No. 65 mixed 0c; No. 66 mixed 0c; No. 67 mixed 0c; No. 68 mixed 0c; No. 69 mixed 0c; No. 70 mixed 0c; No. 71 mixed 0c; No. 72 mixed 0c; No. 73 mixed 0c; No. 74 mixed 0c; No. 75 mixed 0c; No. 76 mixed 0c; No. 77 mixed 0c; No. 78 mixed 0c; No. 79 mixed 0c; No. 80 mixed 0c; No. 81 mixed 0c; No. 82 mixed 0c; No. 83 mixed 0c; No. 84 mixed 0c; No. 85 mixed 0c; No. 86 mixed 0c; No. 87 mixed 0c; No. 88 mixed 0c; No. 89 mixed 0c; No. 90 mixed 0c; No. 91 mixed 0c; No. 92 mixed 0c; No. 93 mixed 0c; No. 94 mixed 0c; No. 95 mixed 0c; No. 96 mixed 0c; No. 97 mixed 0c; No. 98 mixed 0c; No. 99 mixed 0c; No. 100 mixed 0c.

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close: RYE—No. 2 mixed 40c; No. 3 mixed 39c; No. 4 mixed 38c; No. 5 mixed 37c; No. 6 mixed 36c; No. 7 mixed 35c; No. 8 mixed 34c; No. 9 mixed 33c; No. 10 mixed 32c; No. 11 mixed 31c; No. 12 mixed 30c; No. 13 mixed 29c; No. 14 mixed 28c; No. 15 mixed 27c; No. 16 mixed 26c; No. 17 mixed 25c; No. 18 mixed 24c; No. 19 mixed 23c; No. 20 mixed 22c; No. 21 mixed 21c; No. 22 mixed 20c; No. 23 mixed 19c; No. 24 mixed 18c; No. 25 mixed 17c; No. 26 mixed 16c; No. 27 mixed 15c; No. 28 mixed 14c; No. 29 mixed 13c; No. 30 mixed 12c; No. 31 mixed 11c; No. 32 mixed 10c; No. 33 mixed 9c; No. 34 mixed 8c; No. 35 mixed 7c; No. 36 mixed 6c; No. 37 mixed 5c; No. 38 mixed 4c; No. 39 mixed 3c; No. 40 mixed 2c; No. 41 mixed 1c; No. 42 mixed 0c; No. 43 mixed 0c; No. 44 mixed 0c; No. 45 mixed 0c; No. 46 mixed 0c; No. 47 mixed 0c; No. 48 mixed 0c; No. 49 mixed 0c; No. 50 mixed 0c; No. 51 mixed 0c; No. 52 mixed 0c; No. 53 mixed 0c; No. 54 mixed 0c; No. 55 mixed 0c; No. 56 mixed 0c; No. 57 mixed 0c; No. 58 mixed 0c; No. 59 mixed 0c; No. 60 mixed 0c; No. 61 mixed 0c; No. 62 mixed 0c; No. 63 mixed 0c; No. 64 mixed 0c; No. 65 mixed 0c; No. 66 mixed 0c; No. 67 mixed 0c; No. 68 mixed 0c; No. 69 mixed 0c; No. 70 mixed 0c; No. 71 mixed 0c; No. 72 mixed 0c; No. 73 mixed 0c; No. 74 mixed 0c; No. 75 mixed 0c; No. 76 mixed 0c; No. 77 mixed 0c; No. 78 mixed 0c; No. 79 mixed 0c; No. 80 mixed 0c; No. 81 mixed 0c; No. 82 mixed 0c; No. 83 mixed 0c; No. 84 mixed 0c; No. 85 mixed 0c; No. 86 mixed 0c; No. 87 mixed 0c; No. 88 mixed 0c; No. 89 mixed 0c; No. 90 mixed 0c; No. 91 mixed 0c; No. 92 mixed 0c; No. 93 mixed 0c; No. 94 mixed 0c; No. 95 mixed 0c; No. 96 mixed 0c; No. 97 mixed 0c; No. 98 mixed 0c; No. 99 mixed 0c; No. 100 mixed 0c.

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close: BARLEY—No. 2 mixed 30c; No. 3 mixed 29c; No. 4 mixed 28c; No. 5 mixed 27c; No. 6 mixed 26c; No. 7 mixed 25c; No. 8 mixed 24c; No. 9 mixed 23c; No. 10 mixed 22c; No. 11 mixed 21c; No. 12 mixed 20c; No. 13 mixed 19c; No. 14 mixed 18c; No. 15 mixed 17c; No. 16 mixed 16c; No. 17 mixed 15c; No. 18 mixed 14c; No. 19 mixed 13c; No. 20 mixed 12c; No. 21 mixed 11c; No. 2



# FEW UNLIGHTED MINOR LEAGUE PARKS THIS SEASON

## MAJOR MOGULS FEAR SPOILING OF YOUNGSTERS

### Minor Leaguers Say Night Baseball Is Only Salvation

More than three fourths of the baseball parks in the minor leagues will be lighted for night baseball this season. An exact tabulation is impossible at this time because of so many changes being made in various circuits.

At this time last year there was much curiosity over the announcement by Lee Keyser of Des Moines that he would play baseball at night. It was hard to convince anyone that the thing was practical.

But on May 2 the Des Moines club played and the news was flashed to all corners of the baseball world. The game was satisfactory.

**Many Follow Suit**

Followed a grand rush to install lights in various leagues. By the time the season closed half of the minor league baseball parks were lighted. Half as many more immediately let contracts for the installation of lights this year.

By the fourth of July, the boosters of night baseball believe, there will be night baseball in ninety percent of the minor league parks of America.

And then the remaining ten percent probably will fall in line.

The major league magnates don't like this idea so well. They fear that the source of supply for new baseball talent is being seriously hurt, that young ball players trained in the ways of night baseball may prove poor prospects for daytime baseball in the two big leagues.

**Majors Warn Minors**

Unofficially the major league magnates have issued dire warnings to the minor magnates, citing reduced prices for player purchases. But the minors apparently have elected to meet the first emergency existing—that of bolstering the gate receipts. And night baseball does that.

The Pacific Coast league which year after year raises crops that appeal to the big leaguers will be entirely lighted this year. Six had night baseball last year—Los Angeles, Hollywood, Oakland, Sacramento, Portland and Seattle. San Francisco and the Missions also have it this year.

Four International league clubs are equipped for night baseball—Buffalo, Reading, Baltimore and Jersey City. But Jersey City may give it up.

Only one American Association club has it and that is Indianapolis.

**Texas League Unanimous**

The Texas league, in the Class A ranks, probably will have eight cities playing after dark. Houston, Shreveport, San Antonio and Waco had it last year. Waco moved to Galveston and lights are being installed there. Fort Worth and Dallas will install lights and it is likely Wichita Falls and Beaumont will fall in line soon.

Tulsa, Des Moines, Denver, Oklahoma City and Omaha of the Western league will have night baseball, and St. Joseph probably will decide on lights.

Norfolk and Richmond, new members of the Eastern league, will have lights. Albany and Bridgeport found night baseball profitable last year.

Terre Haute and Evansville are the only cities in the Three I league without night baseball. Four Piedmont league cities had night baseball last year and two more, Henderson and Raleigh probably will follow suit.

**Sixty League Likes 'Em**

The Mississippi Valley league had six parks lighted in 1930 and the other two will be lighted this year. Joplin, Muskogee and Independence of the Western Association had night baseball last season. Bartlesville, Ft. Smith and Springfield will have it this year.

Five cities of the Cotton States league will be lighted. Jackson and Monroe pioneered last season and El Dorado, Pine Bluff and Vicksburg will follow.

**Increased Attendance**

Night baseball in the Western and Western Association brought a rugged percent increase in attendance," says Dale Gear, president of the two circuits.

"Yes, greatly," was Judge W. G. Bramham's reply as to how night baseball had helped attendance in the Piedmont.

"Baseball attendance was two to one better under the lights," said Gene Wylie, president of the Three I.

Harry A. Williams of the Pacific Coast league said attendance had "just about doubled."

## PITTSBURG CLUB NOT ON MARKET

When Sam Dreyfuss, son of Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pirates, died, it was quickly rumored about that the Pirates would be sold. But Barney Dreyfuss issued a quick denial. He said:

"Quit? Why should I quit? If I did I'd be over there at the field every day. So why should I? I've been in it too long to get out."

Washington has two outfielders named Rice. Sam will be a regular and Harry a reserve.

Walter Johnson refuses to pick a pennant for Washington but says the club will come nearer to it than last year.

Jack Quinn, who recently signed with Brooklyn, has pitched 5,051 innings.

## RING VERDICTS

(By International News Service)

AT NEW YORK—Chester Matan, New York heavyweight, defeated George Larocco, New York (4).

Johnny McMillan, Scottish 130-pounder, defeated Kola Koli, Porto Rico (6).

Pete Santol, Norwegian banam-weight, defeated Frankie Analem, New York (10).

Pete Albano, Italian middleweight, defeated Joe Taffo, New York (10).

Lope Tenerio, Filipino welterweight, defeated Eddie Shapiro, New York (8).

At Bridgeport, Conn.—Midwest Wolgast, world's flyweight champion, defeated Pinky Silverberg, Ansonia (10).

At Birmingham, Ala.—David Abad, St. Louis featherweight, defeated Tony Leto, Tampa (10).

At New Orleans—Johnny Farr, Cleveland lightweight, defeated Johnny Cook, New Orleans (15).

At Newark, N. J.—Pete August, Bridgeport, Conn., knocked out Joe Moreau, Orange, N. J., welterweight (6).

**MAT RESULTS**

At New York—Jim McMillen, Illinois, defeated Sander Szabo, Rudy Dusek, Omaha, drew.

Dick Shikat, German-American, defeated Paul Jones, Texas.

Serge Kallmykoff, Siberia, defeated Wanky Zelesniak, Russia.

Cal Pajello, Chicago, defeated Mike Romano, New Orleans.

Gino Garibaldi, Italy, beat Bill Bartush, Chicago.

At Newark, N. J.—George Godfrey, Philadelphia, defeated Joe Grandovitch, Jugo-Slavia.

At Memphis, Tenn.—Jim London, title claimant, defeated George Maniam, Australia.

## INTER-LEAGUE TOURNEY OPENS

### Bloomington, Y. M. C. A., First M. E. Teams Win Openers

Opening games in the annual Y. M. C. A. inter-league basketball tournament resulted in victories for the Bloomington church team, the Y. M. C. A. squad and the First M. E. aggregation on the Y. M. C. A. floor Monday night.

The Bloomington team defeated the Latter Day Saints in the first game of the tournament. It was a second round contest as the winners having a slight edge throughout. G. Goddard of the losers was high scorer with 8 points while Sinkler of Bloomington took second honors with three field goals and a free throw.

At the First M. E. gymnasium defeated Swifts in the final game of the evening, 32 to 22. The Methodists jumped into an early lead which they held until the final gun. W. TeStrake of the winners was high scorer with 11 points.

**Bloomington (22)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
Fuller, f	3	2	8
C. Bierman, f	1	0	2
Wright, c	2	1	5
Sinkler, g	3	1	7
Hoag, g	0	0	0
Totals	9	4	22

**Latter Day Saints (14)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
I. Goddard, f	3	0	6
H. Simmons, f	0	0	0
Fountain, c	0	0	0
G. Goddard, g	0	2	2
L. Simmons, g	0	0	0
Totals	3	2	8

**Y. M. C. A. (25)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
Lindley, f	3	0	6
Wells, f	2	0	4
Huber, c	4	0	8
Tipton, c	1	0	2
Minder, g	2	1	5
Totals	12	1	25

**Texasco (22)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
Lukensbach, f	1	1	2
Lyons, f	0	0	0
Hopewell, c	2	0	4
Schrodt, g	6	0	12
McKee, g	1	0	3
Totals	10	2	22

**First M. E. (32)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
W. TeStrake, f	5	1	11
R. TeStrake, f	4	0	8
Asthalter, c	0	0	0
Petersen, g	5	0	10
Sywassink, g	1	0	3
Totals	15	2	32

**Swifts (22)**

FG	FT	PF	TP
Rabedeaux, f	0	0	0
Nietzel, f	3	2	8
James, c	0	0	0
Faulhaber, g	2	0	4
Huber, g	4	2	10
Totals	9	4	22

Referee: Stephens.

Arizona State league has dropped the split season.

Baseball forecasts favor Rochester to repeat in the International league with Baltimore second. Rochester won the last three.

New Orleans of the Southern and Shreveport of the Texas, neighbor cities in Louisiana, will play a spring series this year.

## Putting the "Barney" Under the Microscope



## THREE TEAMS IN DEADLOCK

### Gophers, Purdue, and Michigan in Second Place

CHICAGO—(INS)—Minnesota, Purdue and Michigan today claimed an equal share of second place in the Western Conference basketball championship race which ended officially last night when Michigan defeated Chicago, 29 to 15, and Minnesota dropped Ohio State, 31 to 24.

Northwestern captured the first place pennant recently after completing its season with 11 victories and one defeat.

Wild shooting on the part of Michigan held the Wolverines scoreless until seven minutes of the game had elapsed last night at Ann Arbor. Michigan led 13 to 8 at the half and increased its advantage in the final periods.

Minnesota, in its final game at Minneapolis, started out in determined fashion against Ohio State, holding the Buckeyes scoreless until 17 minutes had elapsed. Minnesota led 17 to 8 at the half, but Ohio came back with four baskets at the start of the second half against a reformed Gopher lineup.

**Final Standings**

W.	L.	Pct.
Northwestern	11	1.919
Purdue	8	.467
Minnesota	8	.467
Michigan	8	.467
Illinois	7	.583
Indiana	5	.714
Wisconsin	4	.333
Chicago	4	.333
Ohio State	3	.250
Iowa	2	.167

**PIRATES SEEM TO BE JINXED**

The hard luck of the Pittsburgh Pirates continues. The jinx has taken up this spring where he left off last fall. Paul Waner is a doubtful quantity because of a leg infection that started from a mysterious bite he got while in swimming in Florida waters. Young Charley Woods, southpaw pitcher, is still weak from a flu attack.

Last year Lloyd Waner, Pie Traynor, Steve Swetonic and Heinie Meine were jinx victims.

The coming season will be Urban Faber's eighteenth as a pitcher for the White Sox.

**"JOE JINKS"**

DYNAMITE IS NOW A BIG RIOT! HIS MASTERFUL K.O. OF HOUER HAS AGAIN PUT HIM FIRST IN THE HEARTS OF THE FANS.

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WELL—HE CLAIMED HE PUT ME OUT—ONCE AN I HAD TO SHOW HIM UP QUICK!

DID Y'NOTICE HOW HE MADE HOUER MISS A DOZEN WILD SWINGS BEFORE HE NAILED HIM ON THE GOATEE?

GEE! IT'S DYNAMITE!

THE GANG SEEMS TO LIKE ME AGAIN, NOW THAT I'VE K.O.'D HOUER!

YEH! BUT DON'T SWALLOW ANY OF THAT SAUCE—IT'S HAVEN'T Y'KNOW THAT EVERY ONE OF 'EM BUT ED BET AGAINST YOU!

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## CARNERA WILL MEET SHARKEY IN N. Y. BOUT

### This Is Tip Coming From Boxing Cen- ter Today

By COPELAND C. BURG (INS Sports Writer)

NEW YORK—(INS)—Chances of New York seeing a big heavyweight fight this summer blossomed like April daisies today. The report was that Jimmy Johnston, who was clever enough to sell Phil Scott of England to a doubting public, will promote a Jack Sharkey-Prince Carnera bout.

Probably no one would pay much attention to the rumor except that Johnston has been known to make a miniature golf course out a croquet set and some say he has enough ability and power to find a suitable site for the fight. Get the huge Italian reinstated in New York and snare both fighters in contracts.

**Reinstated Carnera**

As for reinstatement of Carnera, Johnston is as close to the New York commission as a wart on the neck and that trick would be easy. For the site the promoter was reported to have tied up Ebbs field in Brooklyn and further it was claimed Johnston had virtually completed signing the two boxers. In fact it was said that the signed contracts already reposed in Jimmy's trunk.

The fight would be dated about a month after the Max Schmelling-Young Stribling affair. That scrap will not touch Johnston in the least and he plans to stage the Carnera-Sharkey clash as a world's heavyweight title event. Several New York charities were being considered as co-sponsors and would share in the profits.

**After Garden Bunch**

The Rialto this morning sent out a tip that Johnston was merely a "front" acting for Frank Bruen, who is anxious to displace Madison Square Garden's 600 millionaires as much as possible and would actually lose money to work a verse or two of his hymn of hate.

Meanwhile Sharkey was to be offered \$60,000 to battle Paul Swirdski of Syracuse in the Oklahoma City park on May 29.

San Francisco will furnish a full team for Tucson, including a manager.

## FAVORITES LEAD AT KANSAS CITY

### No Upsets Occur in National Basket- ball Meet

KANSAS CITY—(INS)—Favorites still were in the running today for the second round play of the National A. U. basketball tournament by virtue of victories in last night's games.

Among the outstanding survivors of the first round evening performance were the Los Angeles A. C. K. C. A. C. Wichita Henrys, and the Dallas A. C. the tournament virtually is conceded as a horse race among the former three.

L. A. C. eliminated Ferris Institute, Big Rapids, Mich., 38 to 18, after leading at half time by but a single point, 12 to 11. Wilcox, L. A. C. forward, distinguished himself by four field goals and four free throws.

**Defending Champs Win**

The Henrys, defending champions, evinced little effort in extinguishing whatever tournament hopes the All-Stars, Aurora, Ill., entertained, by the top-sided score, 43-15.

K. C. A. C. also played a walk-away game trouncing Hain Electric, Omaha, Neb., 52 to 4.

Dallas A. C. defeated Maxwell Lexington, Ky., 49 to 16, and Ottawa university, Ottawa, Kas., eliminated Colorado State Teachers' college, Greeley, Colo., 26 to 18.

**Today's Games**

Simone Clothiers, Weir, Kas. vs. South Side Turners, Indianapolis. Union Fuel, St. Louis, vs. Young Men's Institute, San Francisco. Haskell Indians, Lawrence, Kas., vs. Northwestern Teachers, Alva, Okla.

Maryville, Mo., Teachers vs. Hatton-Turner-Strieby, Kansas City. Low-Campbell, St. Louis, vs. Dallas A. C.

Rockhurst college, Kansas City, vs. DePaul university, Chicago. Los Angeles A. C. vs. Nebraska Wesleyan, Lincoln.

## PENN CREW TO MEET 'EM ALL

The University of Pennsylvania meets every college crew that engages in the sport, either in dual or triangular affairs, or at Fough-keepsie.

This year Penn is scheduled with Yale and Columbia, Harvard and Navy, the American Henley, and the Childs' Cup regatta at Princeton.

Coach Rusty Callow has only one veteran of last year's crew and the rest will be sophomores. But he is highly optimistic.

Both sons of Ed Walsh, old White Sox pitching star, are in the minors this year. Ed, Jr., is with Louisville and Bob with Jersey City.

Earl Shealy of the Braves made 289 hits last season in the Pacific Coast league.

Dizzy Dean of the Cards is only twenty years old.

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RICARDO CORTES  
PHILLIPS HOLMES  
JAMES GLEASON



# TWO JIMS WILL MEET AGAIN IN MAT TITLE MATCH

## HUNGARIAN IS DEFEATED BY EX-COLLEGE

McMillen's Record Is Compared to That Of Grange

By LES CONKLIN  
(INS Sports Writer)  
NEW YORK — (INS) — Seven years ago when Bob Zuppke's Illinois football machine was moving down all opposition, Jim McMillen received scant mention in the headlines. He was just a plunger, ripping holes in the line through which Red Grange galloped to glory.

While Grange turned professional amid a fanfare of publicity trumpets and reaped a harvest of gold, his classmate drifted into comparative obscurity. He too played professional football, but there was little money and less fame in it for a guard. After awhile McMillen took up professional wrestling, but was a forgotten figure until late last fall.

Grange fading out  
The story of their careers reads like the fable of the hare and the tortoise. Today Grange, the hare, who got off to such a brilliant start, is nearing the twilight of his career as a professional football player. He plans to retire from the gridiron in another year, and has no other job in prospect. The Wharton red-head is said to have lost most of his fortune.

McMillen, the slow starter, is just beginning to cash in on the years of steady plugging that he put in on the wrestling mat. Last night he picked up a nice piece of change for a bout with Sandor Szabo, the little Hungarian, at Madison Square Garden.

McMillen turned the trick in 58:03 with a top scissors and bar lock, and thus went through with the formality of qualifying for a third bout with Jim London, recognized as champion in New York and Pennsylvania.

McMillen and London are the two best drawing cards in Promoter Jack Curley's stable, and from the looks of things they will continue their exhibition series from now until Christmas.

McMillen expects to clean up \$40,000 this year. He received \$11,000 for two previous matches with London at the Garden this year. If he takes care of himself, he will be able to retire from the mat game in 15 years with close to a million dollars.

Not a Rocket  
"But it was mighty hard sledding first," said Jim after his match last night. "I've made at least \$6,000 a year since leaving college, but a wrestler has to pay his own traveling expenses, which total about \$6,000 a year. So last year was the first time I was able to get much ahead of the game. I had to struggle along for about five years, learning to wrestle."

"The wrestling game is not a 'rocket,' as some folks claim. The promoters help you and we help them. I might get \$6,000 one night at the Garden, and then appear in a bout in a nearby town the next evening for \$50, just to help the promoter round out his card. It all helps to build up the game."

## CLINNIN URGES LAW REVISION

Illinois Boxing Head Wants 15 Rounders Permitted

By JUSTIN H. FORREST  
(INS Special Correspondent)  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — (INS) — Revision of the Illinois state boxing law to permit 15 round contests, instead of ten, which would give Illinois an opportunity to stage the Stribling-Schmeling bout in June, was urged here today as Gen. John W. Clinnin, chairman of the Illinois Athletic commission.

He came in support of a bill proposed by the commission, and introduced Feb. 10, by Rep. Frank E. Foster, Republican member of the house from Harvey, in which District Gen. Clinnin lives.

Gen. Clinnin pointed out, however, that the bill would accomplish much more than merely increase the maximum fight limit to 15 rounds, which now are permitted in New York, Michigan and elsewhere. He is especially interested in the added control given the commission over the staging of amateur bouts and of keeping the youthful boxers in the amateur class.

Discussing it, he said: "Promoters now are helping to spoil boys who might become good fighters by starting them too soon and spilling their amateur standing. Few of them expect the boys to go into the ring for nothing, and in addition, they frequently ask them to fight for a time when he is eligible to become a professional, should he so desire, it is not a real drawing card."

"Under the wording of the proposed amendments to the bill, only recognized athletic organizations could sponsor boxing, and the matches where participants are under 16. That would mean much for the improvement of the game, because it would do away with the semi-professionalism that has developed because of the promotion angle of the business. We also would prevent corporations from handling matches of professionals who are under the age of 18 years. Prizes to amateurs are limited to a value of \$35. In other words, we want really to preserve real amateur boxing, and under these pro-

Lest We Forget - "Terrible Terry" McGovern



## Track Teams of Mid-West Point for Illinois Relays

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. — (INS) — Track teams of the Middle West, as well as many from the south and east, are centering their training thoughts on the 14th annual Illinois Relay Carnival, Saturday.

In the past, world, national, and college records have been established in this indoor meet and this year is expected to be no exception. Last year the two outstanding new relay marks were the new time of the University of Missouri mile team, 3:22.9 and the four mile record, 17 minutes, 50.5 seconds, made by the University of Pennsylvania.

Lee Sentman, University of Illinois hurdler, in his final year of varsity competition, last year the carnival stepped over the 75 yard high hurdles in 9.2 seconds for a new world record, cutting a full second off the old mark held once by Phil Guthrie, Ohio State, Chick Warner, Illinois and Dan Kinsey, Illinois.

Edward Gordon, University of Iowa, is apt to endanger a record, track followers say. Last year in winning the broad jump he missed De Hart Hubbard's mark of 24 feet, 7 inches by only three inches. Hubbard's mark is a national indoor record.

The record in many of the special events is close to world recognition. In 1928 Jack Elder, Notre Dame, ran the 75 yard dash in 7.4 seconds equalling the world mark for that event. In 1920 Johnson, Michigan, covered the 75 yard low hurdles in 3 seconds for a national indoor record. Tommy Warner, Northwestern, pole vaulted 13 feet, 7 3/4 inches in 1929 from a dirt floor.

The University relays are the one mile, two mile, four mile, and distance medley, while the colleges participate in one mile, two mile, and medley events.

In the two mile university relay, Notre Dame, winner last year, will be back with a strong team, three of which ran last year. Their time last year was 7:58.2. The Marquette University medley team, another 1930 winner, is back intact, captained by Pete Walter of the 1928 Olympic team.

The same events are scheduled as last year with the exception of the high school relay which was dropped at the cry of over-emphasis on athletics in high school.

The meet is run at night, with the all-around championship now held by Barney Berlinger, Pennsylvania, and preliminaries of the special events, to be determined in the afternoon. The indoor track in the Armory is slightly less than a fifth-mile in length and the dash events are run on the clay midfield section.

Annually some 800 schools send approximately 800 athletes to make the carnival a riot of color, not all of which is embodied in the colorful sweat uniforms of the contestants.

## Looking 'Em Over In Camps

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — (INS) — The Chicago White Sox regulars today faced a rookie nine in a seven inning practice set-to, the first intra-camp game for the Sox this season.

On their return from the Houston storm section yesterday the Sox went to work in the warm sunshine to get rid of a few kinks.

PORT MYERS, Fla. — (INS) — Lineups in the spring world series between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Philadelphia Athletics today rested with the former team as the result of yesterday's 4 to 2 defeat of the world champions. Three rookies Wetherell, Marshall and Pruett pitched for the winners while three of Connie Mack's veterans, Grove, Walberg and Rommel were on the mound for the Athletics. The teams meet again Monday.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. — (INS) — Pitcher "Rip" Collins and first baseman Lu Blue of the St. Louis Browns were still very much holdouts today. While the Browns continue their practice games among themselves in preparation for the formal exhibition against Columbus Saturday no word is heard from the two veterans.

PASO ROBLES, Calif. — (INS) — "Am in shape." — These three little words on a telegram from Paul "Big Poison" Waner brought Brad Grins to Jewel Ens and his Pirates today. The scintillating rightfielder, who has been under treatment for an infection, arrived in camp Friday.

## COAST LEAGUE IS OPTIMISTIC

A close race, better attendance and a fine crop of young stars are the prospects for a good year in the Pacific Coast league which gets under way soon.

"Attendance just about doubled where night baseball was played last year, and six clubs finished with lights," says Harry A. Williams, president.

"Two more clubs will play night baseball this year, the Missions and San Francisco, with the completion of the new San Francisco park which is a concrete stadium costing \$1,500,000.

"I look for an attendance increase of 25 per cent this year. There is indication of financial improvement everywhere and we have an unusual number of good young players coming along. Things point to a close race and brilliant performances."

## 24 BOUTS FOR BOXING FANS

Good Matches Booked For Golden Gloves Opening

Twenty-four bouts in eight classes will be on the cards Wednesday night at the Moose hall for boxing fans of this section who attend the opening night of the Muscatine Golden Gloves tournament, according to Promoter Jack Henderson, who announced the pairings today.

The first bout will get under way promptly at 7:45 and no time will be lost between bouts, each to be three rounds of two minutes each.

Paul Kent, Leonard Hunn and Buddy Flake will be the referees while J. A. Benz, H. Van Hettinga and William Burkhardt will serve as judges. Suitable medals will be awarded the final winners in the various classes, according to Promoter Henderson.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT'S PAIRINGS FOLLOW:  
Papcrweight  
Charles Phillips vs. D. Richardson.  
Gerald Hopkins vs. bye.

Lightweight  
Leo Holliday vs. Warren Phillips.  
Everett Holliday vs. Young Jennings of Wapello.  
Buddy Thorman vs. Arnold Kopp.

Maynard Lukansky vs. bye.  
Featherweight  
Jimmy Thompson vs. John Richardson.  
Royce Carey, New Boston vs. Young Reid, Grandview.  
Ray Dougherty vs. Glen Brosart.

Lightweight  
H. Pine, Columbus Junction vs. Jack Bean, Wapello.  
Tony Drew, Dubuque vs. Tommy Zinn, Colorado.  
Bob Matthews, Wapello vs. Cecil Lucas.

John Barry vs. Young Newton.  
Kissy Atkins vs. Bob Schmeltzer.  
Welterweight  
Don Mohsen vs. E. Wright, Wapello.  
Bob Hohenadel vs. Oscar Kleindolph.

Jack Wilson vs. Jim Lyda.  
Albert Breneman, Columbus Junction vs. Tucker Seay.  
Middleweight  
George Barton vs. George Matlach, Washington.  
Francis Pallscheck vs. Dale Carter, Wapello.

John McCleary, Peoria, vs. Ed Young.  
Bob Collison, Atalissa, vs. Bob Kistner.  
Light Heavyweight  
Oscar Ruckles vs. Neis Graham, Grandview.

Twenty-six amateur teams in Chicago are playing the game in the city parks, with lighted rinks. Minneapolis has thirty teams. Milwaukee, Boston, St. Paul, Denver, Omaha, and other northern cities where outdoor play is possible throughout the winter, have many teams in league competition.

This country had no team in the 1928 Olympics when the winter sports were staged at St. Moritz. That fact led the A. A. U. to take a hand in promoting the sport.

The result is league hockey in sixteen cities this winter and high class talent is being developed for the world competition a year hence.

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## Match with Woman Wrestler Started King Tut's Career

NEW YORK — (INS) — Henry Tuttle, alias King Tut, the slugging Minneapolis welterweight who has been grabbing the headlines in the sports pages this year, started his career in a highly unique manner. A bout with a woman wrestler influenced him to become a professional athlete.

When he was sixteen, Tut was working on a farm in a little Iowa community when a carnival came to town. One of the features of the show was a woman wrestler, Bobbie Grennon, who challenged any man in the audience to a bout. She even offered a prize to any young hopeful who could stay the limit of fifteen minutes with her.

This proposition appealed to young Tuttle and he accepted the challenge. The tow-headed farmer boy exhibited unusual ability for a novice and the husky Amazon was unable to pin his shoulders to the mat so Tut won the prize.

In fact, he won more than the prize. The manager of the circus decided Tut would make a good wrestler and gave him a steady job. So young Henry said good-bye to the horses and cows and joined the gay caravan for two or three months, meeting all comers on the mat.

In Lamars, Iowa, Tut was matched Louie Jennings, Wapello, vs. J. C. Anson.

Heavyweight  
John Haller vs. Farmer Main, Wapello.  
Walter Mackay vs. Charles Conklin, West Liberty.  
George Hines, West Liberty, vs. bye.

Bucky Harris probably will start Bill Akers at shortstop instead of Mark Koenig.

Sam Rice, Washington veteran, has made 2,632 hits. Babe Ruth has 2,266 in the books.

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## YANKEES NOT TO REACH TOP THIS SEASON

Punch Lacking Says New York Sports Writer

(This is the second in a series of 16 stories covering prospects in 1931 of national and American baseball league teams.)

BY FRANK BUCK O'NEILL  
INS Special Correspondent  
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — (INS) — Three problems must be solved by Joseph Vincent McCarthy before the New York Yankees can establish themselves as serious contenders for the American league pennant of 1931. In his first year as commander of the Ruppert Rifles, McCarthy must:

1.—Develop at least two winning pitchers from the ranks of the rookies.

2.—Reconstruct his second base combination, and develop men who can make double plays.

3.—Rekindle the winning spirit of other days of the Yankees. These are the major tasks of McCarthy, but to them we might add one more. He must develop a catcher with ability to think in the crisis that develop in a tight ball game, and who combines with mental agility the physical prowess of a real ball player.

Loss of Pippas Serious  
The loss of George Pippas, right hander who pitched 15 winning games for the Yankees in 1930, is a staggering one. Pippas may be out of action until June, and it probably will be well along in August before he regains his normal pitching efficiency.

Take 15 games from a team's winning percentage and you've performed a far more serious operation—relatively—than the mere removal of an appendix.

The most promising of the rookie pitchers in this is written as Frank Barnes, left hander, bought from Toronto; Jim Weaver, right hander, bought from Baltimore, and Vernon Gomes, a hold-over from last year. There is more than a fair chance that Walter Brown will overcome the handicap of extreme bulk and make the grade. Brown is nursing his arm, and carefully, and refuses to cut loose with any pyrotechnics.

Barnes Looks Good  
The staff of veterans, not a bad staff either consists of Herbert Pennock, the master stylist of pitching; Gordon Rhodes, Henry Johnson, Ed Wells, Roy Sherid and Lou McEvoy. Pennock is still a good pitcher, although treading the sun-kist slopes of his glorious career. He may have another good year left in that cunning left arm. Gordon "Dusty" Rhodes is a right hander of more natural ability than developed control. He may conquer his predilection toward flightiness and come down to earth this year. The same holds for Lou McEvoy.

Barnes has impressed all observers in camp as a potentially great

There is a duel for the post at second involving three men, Jimmy Reese, team mate of Lyn Lary in the Pacific Coast league, Ben Chapman and Lazzeri. Whichever combination works best in the matter of double plays will be used. Bill Weber, a shortstop and all around kid in the infield, may furnish the element of surprise. He is just starting to come along.

It looks now as if McCarthy will return Earle Combs to center field where the Louisville veteran, be- longs. Ruth will be in right as usual with Dusty Cooke, Myril Hoag and Sammy Burd fighting it out for left field. Don't deal out Hoag in the fight for center field. He is fast and packs a great throwing arm.

Cy Perkins may help the Yankees with his experience. The bulk of catching will be done by Bill Dickey. Jorgens and Karlon are contending with honors fairly even.

Where will the Yankees finish? Maybe second, perhaps third. This writer does not rate them at the top, but considers them contenders from the start.

Eddie O'Neill, South Boston lad who has signed with the Red Sox, is another pitcher who wears glasses.

## Measures Mileage Of Cage Guard in DePauw-Miami Game

GREENCASTLE, Indiana. — (INS) — How far does a man travel playing forty minutes of hard basketball? Does he run more on defense or on offense? How often does the ball change hands in the average game?

Using a novel electrical apparatus Professor Stephen N. Corey of the psychology department of DePauw University here, assisted by Freshman Coach Lloyd Messersmith secretly checked on Frank Graham, DePauw floorguard, during the DePauw-Miami University basketball game here.

They discovered that Graham traveled 12,360 feet or approximately 2 1/3 miles during the entire game.

It was found that Graham ran farther when the team was on offense than when on defense. The record showed 7,810 feet on offense and 4,550 feet on defense, or approximately one mile more on offense. In the first ten minutes of a 40-minute game Graham ran 3,200 feet and in the last ten minutes 3,081 feet.

The ball changed hands from team to team at the rate of once every 26.1 seconds.

pitcher. He moves with the calm assurance of a veteran but has the fire of a powerful youth. Weaver is the giant of the camp. He is 7' tall that Joie Sewell has to talk to him by radio. Weaver's fast ball is something to hear. It fairly whines past a batsman.

McCarthy seems to think well of Lefty Gomez, and Babe Ruth concurs in the opinion of the manager.

So far as the infield is concerned, two places are settled. Gehrig will play first and Lyn Lary will be at short. Tony Lazzeri, the hard hitting Italian youth, will be there at second or third, depending upon his ability to function in double plays.

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7:30-Correct Time.  
7:30-Sacred Program Conducted by Rev. C. W. Hempstead.  
8:00-Harmonies Selections by Joe.  
8:15-Vocal Selections by Bob.  
8:30-Calliope Selections by Pat.  
8:45-Vocal Selections by Larry.  
8:50-Correct Time.  
9:00-Violin Selections by Carl.  
9:05-Weather Report.  
9:10-Vocal Selection by Carl.  
9:15-Vocal Selection by Mary.  
9:20-Vocal Selection by Mary.  
9:25-Baldwin Selections by Pat.  
9:30-Markets (Courtesy of C. M. Nicholson).  
9:35-Vocal Selections by Larry.  
9:45-News Review.  
10:00-Housekeepers Chat.  
10:10-Recipes.  
10:40-Musical Program.  
11:00-Correct Time.  
12:00-Weather, Markets, Time, Variety Program.

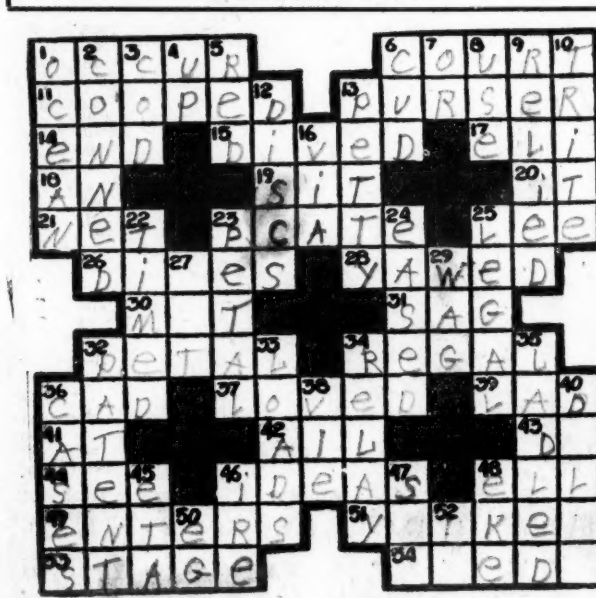
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8:15-CBS-Pertinacious Playboys.  
8:30-CBS-Morning Moods.  
8:45-CBS-Salon Orchestra.  
9:00-CBS-Artists' Recital.  
9:15-CBS-Singing Circle.  
9:30-CBS-Ideas of the Week.  
9:45-CBS-Ida Bailey Allen.  
10:00-Charity Players.  
10:15-Mike and Herman.  
10:30-Climax and Harry.  
10:45-Maxey Church Organ.  
11:00-1:00 p. m.-Farm Community Net. work-CBS.  
P. M.  
12:05-Paul's Hour.  
12:25-Local Produce Markets.  
12:35-Band Concert.  
12:45-Farm Belt Headlines.  
1:00-Seedtime News.  
1:15-CBS-Artists' Recital.  
1:30-CBS-Syncopated Silhouettes.  
1:45-CBS-Musical Album.  
2:00-Chicago Hour of Music.  
2:15-Children's program.  
2:30-CBS-Rhyme Club.  
2:45-Mike and Herman.  
2:55-Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.  
3:00-Along the C and N. I. Trail.  
11:45-Around the Town.

**WMT**  
A. M.  
6:30-Organ Reville.  
7:00-Studio.  
7:45-Studio.  
8:00-Something for Everyone.  
8:15-Business Builders Program.  
8:45-Sewing Circle.  
9:00-Black's Hour for Women.  
10:15-Devotional.  
10:30-Ida Bailey Allen's Editorial Page.  
10:45-Interior Decorating.  
11:30-Columbia Revue.  
12:00-Columbia Farm Community Program.  
P. M.  
12:30-Library Oil Company.  
12:45-Columbia Farm Community Program.  
1:15-Columbia Artists' Recital.  
1:30-American School of the Air.  
2:00-Columbia Salon Orchestra.  
2:30-Syncopated Silhouettes.  
3:00-Musical Album.  
4:30-The International Singers.  
5:00-Bill Schuler's Going to Press.  
5:15-Story Hour.  
5:45-Studio.  
6:00-Morton Downey.  
7:00-Studio.  
7:00-An Hour with WMT.  
8:00-John Higgins.  
8:30-Saving Tone Pictures.  
9:30-Columbia Concerts.  
10:00-Studio.

**WLS**  
870 Kc.-CHICAGO-345 M.  
A. M.  
6:15-Maple City Four.  
6:30-Variety Acts.  
6:45-"The Four Cylinders".  
7:00-"Uncle Ralph" and "Daddy Hal".  
7:10-Midwest Weather.  
7:15-Climax and Harry.  
7:30-"Breakfast Brigade." Paul Rader.  
8:00-"Steamboat Bill"-Music.  
8:05-Weather, Hog Flash.  
8:30-Variety Music.  
9:10-Tower Topics, Home Hints.  
9:30-Climax and Harry.  
9:45-Silver Lake Entertainers.  
10:00-Livestock, Poultry, Music.  
11:45-Music, Midwest Weather.  
12:00 noon-Dinnerbell Time.  
P. M.  
12:15-Bedger Seedmen.  
12:30-Closing Livestock.  
1:00-Grain Markets, Variety Music.  
1:15-Organist and String Quartet.  
1:45-Maple City 4-Hymn time.  
2:00-"The Old Singing School".  
2:30-Homemakers' Period.  
2:45-Music, Midwest Melodies.  
7:15-Kellogg Harmonizers.  
7:30-"Doings of the Gordons (Corn Belt Hatched)."  
8:00-NBC-Wayside Inn.

**WCFL**  
A. M.  
6:30-Erly Risers Club.  
7:00-Morning Shuffle.  
7:30-The Song Shop.  
8:15-From the Coral Seas.  
8:30-Evans Furriers.

## Crossword Puzzle



- HORIZONTAL**
- To happen.
  - To woo.
  - Penned.
  - Cashier on ship.
  - Conclusion.
  - Plunged.
  - Man's name.
  - Article.
  - To rest.
  - Pronoun.
  - Trap.
  - Flat bodied fish.
  - To sheltered side.
  - Imposes on.
  - Steered wildly.
  - Not otherwise provided (abbr.).
  - To yield.
  - Part of flower.
  - Kingly.
  - One devoid of chivalry.
  - Adored.
  - Boy.
  - By.
  - To be ill.
  - Prefix meaning down from.
  - To observe.
  - Thoughts.
  - Cloth measure.
  - Goes in.
  - New Englanders.
  - Condition.
  - Widow's mourning.
- VERTICAL**
- Body of water.
  - Studied.
  - Plah.
  - Higher.
  - A color.
  - Food brought up to be re-chewed.
  - Conjunction.
  - Custom.
- Yesterday's Solution**
- CRIS PACTS NOTE  
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SAND FLASH EELS

## FERN TOO EASY, PAT GOT DRUNK

### Beauty Listings Like A Mail Order Catalog

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—(INS)—Points of physical beauty and social cultivation of young girls were listed like specifications in a motor car catalogue, in books and papers of the assorted Hollywood love syndicate, under seizure today, according to the district attorney's office.

A list of prospective "human merchandise" contains the following entries designating "rejects."

Fern—Too easy.

"KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"

Now THAT THE WEDDING DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR HIS MARRIAGE TO THE FAIR KITTY KIPPER, EDDIE BOWERS IS COMMENCING TO WORRY ABOUT LITTLE BAMBINO. THE 20<sup>th</sup> OF MARCH IS DRAWING NEAR.

WMAQ

670 Kc.-CHICAGO-447.5 M.  
A. M.  
6:30-CBS-Old Dutch Girl.  
6:45-U. of Chicago Program.  
6:50-The Question Box Man.  
7:00-Board of Trade; Also 10:30, 11:30, 12:30 and 1:30.  
7:30-Musical Ridge Fudge.  
7:45-Social Amusements.  
8:00-Whitney Trio.  
8:15-Mrs. Kinky's Noodles.  
8:30-Farmer Rust.  
8:45-Mid Day Chimes.  
P. M.  
12:10-Lenten Service.  
12:30-Chicago Ann. of Commerce.  
1:30-CBS-School of the Air.  
2:15-Women's Int'l League.  
2:30-Musical Potpourri.  
3:30-Woman's Calendar.  
4:00-Garden Club.  
4:30-Planland; Joe Rudolph.  
5:00-Topsy Turvy Time.  
5:15-Principal's Club.  
5:30-Chevrolet Program.  
5:45-Concert Orchestra.  
6:00-CBS-Daddy and Rollo.  
6:05-CBS-Literary Digest.  
6:15-CBS-Barbecue Program.  
6:30-CBS-Musical Cocktail.  
6:45-CBS-Past Freight.  
7:00-The Smiley Family.  
7:30-CBS-Col. Concerts Corp.  
8:00-NBC-Amos 'n' Andy.  
8:30-Dan and Sylvia.

PLAYERS TO TRAVEL

CHICAGO—(INS)—The players of the Goodman Repertory theater, which is operated in connection with the Chicago Art Institute, may travel to London this spring to present their highly successful version of Philip Barry's "Hotel Universe." Hubert Osborne, head of the Goodman company, has announced he has received an offer from a prominent London producing firm.

"PAM"

TUESDAY TURNED OUT TO BE VISITORS' DAY AT DAWN CREST. FIRST MRS. DARRINGTON CALLED; SHE WAS VERY SWEET AND CORDIAL, AND GLORIA INTRODUCED PAM TO HER. AFTER A PLEASANT VISIT, SHE ROSE TO LEAVE.

"SKY ROADS"

LEAVING SIBERIA TO THE SOVIETS, BUSTER AND ZACK FINALLY CROSS THE BORDER INTO CHINA, PURSUING THE BAT AND HIS CAPTIVE COUNTERS.

"BUCK ROGERS, 2429 A. D."

WILMA AND I HAD LANDED ON THE ROOF OF A MONGOL SKYSCRAPER. WE'LL HAVE TO GET OUT OF THIS—IT'S TOO PUBLIC. YEAH, LET'S BEAT IT DOWN THESE STAIRS AND FIND US SOME DISGUISES! OH, BUCK, SCARED STIFF? SAY, SISTER, I'M PETRIFIED. THE PLACE IS DESERTED. IT'S THE BALL ROOM OF A MONGOL APARTMENT. JUMP BUCK! WE'VE STEPPED ON A SECRET TRIP—GOING DOWN! DON'T MOVE! IF THERE'S ANYONE BEHIND US, THEY'VE SEEN US BY THIS TIME IF NOT.

## Daughter of Royalty Undergoes Operation

MADRID.—(INS)—An appendectomy was successfully performed Monday on the infantia Maria Cristina, daughter of the king and queen of Spain.

"The rapture of purant" is the real joy of labor.

No man ever attempts to flatter the woman he truly loves.

Teaches School By Radio

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Four of her 11 children are living. Eight grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren are also living.

Griddle cakes are baked to order automatically with a new coin in a slot machine designed for stores that operate quick lunch counters.

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—By POP MOMAND

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# MOVIES LAUDED AS BEST ESCAPE FROM DRAB LIFE

Director Says Theater  
Puts People in New  
Atmosphere

By JAMES E. HILMAN  
HOLLYWOOD, Calif. — Motion pictures provide an avenue of escape from everyday life that probably no other form of entertainment can equal, in the opinion of Russell Mack, once noted as a stage star and producer and now serving as a director. Motion pictures carry the theater goer far away from his drab surroundings, and provide an outlet for his emotions, the director said.

"People go to the theater to be lifted out of the atmosphere of everyday life," he said. "They crave illusion as an escape from depressing, sordid surroundings and the monotony of daily toil. Men want to forget business worries. Women seek to forget the daily drudge of home toil. Humanity in general wants to be carried away from dullness for a short time."

"Eyes too dry to shed tears over individual troubles, we freely over-dramatize, and have even smiled for weeks with laughter over a comedy. This affords a great relief for pent-up emotions," Mack stated.

"The movie public is quick to sense the value of a worthwhile motion picture. Once having enjoyed an entertainment cinema, they soon relay the word to others. On the other hand if a picture depresses or bores an audience, the film is doomed to failure. No critic could pass a surer verdict than the theater public itself," the director added.

For many years Russell Mack was noted as a producer of the stage, as well as a producer. He turned to the motion picture industry and forged his way to the front ranks of Hollywood's most successful film directors. He directed Eddie Quillan in "Big Money," and has been selected to direct another comedy production, "Lonely Wives." This picture will star Edward Everett Horton, famous comedian, Laura La Plante, Patsy Ruth Miller and others.

## Drury

DRURY TOWNSHIP, Ill. — (Special) — Mrs. Fred Miller, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia was taken to the Hershey hospital at Muscatine.

Mrs. Peter Rice spent Friday with Mrs. Graydon.

Thomas and Richard Plank spent Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kranz and family and Miss Constance Kranz were Sunday guests with Mrs. Kranz's mother, Mrs. Jasper Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Thirty-acre spent Sunday with Mrs. Thirty-acre's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Foster.

Miss Ella Mewes of Muscatine is spending a few days at the Lyle Martin home.

Those who assisted Mrs. Willis Thirtysacre with quilting were Mrs. Charles Deakman, Miss Anna Zollner and Mable and Esther Kleist. Mrs. M. G. Stewart, Mrs. G. B. Stewart and Mrs. Fred Feldman.

Lawrence McKillip and family of Muscatine, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKillip.

Mrs. Charles Pletch and daughters, Mrs. Gale Stewart and Mrs. Rose Stewart were Monday guests of Mrs. Clara Taylor in Edgington.

Dr. Enock Kettlekamp and family of Olin, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mewes of Muscatine, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Riest and children spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Fred C. Mewes.

Mrs. Daniel Kleist and daughter Sadie, were Sunday afternoon

# Ladies' Aid Society Of High Prairie to Conduct Food Sale

HIGH PRAIRIE, — (Special) — The High Prairie church Ladies' Aid society will hold a food sale in Muscatine on March 21. It was decided at a business meeting of the organization held at the home of Mrs. M. R. Waite, Mrs. C. T. McCabe, assisted by the Mesdames A. J. Alterkruse and E. E. Eichelberger will have charge of the sale. The Joe Panther home was the scene of a party Sunday evening when Mrs. Helen Panther entertained about 21 guests. There were 21 guests present. Prizes for highest scores were awarded to Miss Mary O'Brien and Ralph Holmes. Miss Frances Kaalberg and William O'Brien received the low score awards. Refreshments were served at the close of the games.

About 30 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Herlein chartered the newly married couple at the Haynes home in District No. 7 Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Herlein will live on what is known as the Ed. Will farm on the Burlington Road.

Mrs. W. H. Foster, known to the entire High Prairie community as "Grandma" Foster, celebrated her 77th birthday anniversary Sunday when she entertained 12 relatives and friends at dinner. A large birthday cake centered the dining table. Those who participated in the event were Mrs. Ida Goldsberry and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foster of Muscatine; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Foster and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Geertz.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simpson and Mrs. Elmer Eichelberger and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Coder were among the guests at the golden wedding anniversary celebration which honored Mrs. J. F. Williams at their home in Muscatine Friday.

No church services were held at High Prairie church Sunday morning on account of drifted roads caused by Saturday's storm.

The Carl Phillips home was the scene of a family dinner Sunday when the Phillips family, Miss Hazel Phillips, Miss Gladys Phillips and John Horning, all of Muscatine, were guests.

Guests at the J. W. Hoopes home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boruff of Muscatine and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kennedy of Bayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Waite and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stone and children were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Eichelberger Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Eichelberger and family called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howell entertained Ernest Vetter and children of Nichols Sunday.

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# REFORM URGED IN CARING FOR MENTAL CASES

Medical Profession Is  
Still in Twilight Age,  
Says Secy. Wilbur

CHICAGO, (INS) — In the matter of handling insanity, the American public is largely in the dark ages and the medical profession is in the twilight one, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, U. S. secretary of the interior, said recently in an address here before the American Medical Association.

Centers of mental hygiene, instead of mere institutional dumping grounds for mental unfortunates, and new education of physicians and the public to understand mental disease the same as physical disease were urged by Dr. Wilbur and other speakers.

There still is too much prejudice toward the mentally disturbed, the secretary of the interior declared.

"The present cost of segregated care of the insane is enormous and it is evidently growing," he said. "While there is a most deplorable lack of understanding of it is handled through the police and the courts. To have the policeman instead of the doctor the first contact of society with those in the early stages of insanity is deplorable."

"It is even worse that the first confinement of such a patient is in the jail, rather than in a hospital bed."

"There should be united effort to care for mental cases along the very best hospital and medical lines. There should be as complete a release as possible from the meshes of the law."

## Nichols

NICHOLS, Ia. — (Special) — Mrs. W. A. Smith and daughter, Mary Olive, of Morrow, came Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bellamy for a few days.

Mrs. Albert Quimby visited relatives in West Liberty Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols of West Liberty visited recently with Mrs. A. V. Hesser and Mrs. Frank Meese.

The Pike Township Farm Bureau women held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Theodore Neff Friday.

The lesson given was "Meal Planning for the Family." Eleven members were at the meeting. Miss Grace Stevens conducted the meeting.

Mrs. Frank Mills was a business visitor in Davenport Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Elder entertained at a birthday dinner Thursday evening in honor of the birthday of their son James Jr. at the home of Mrs. Theodore Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bellamy, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McCullough were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown Sunday.

Mrs. Wilma Mills and Mrs. Albert Bottomley were in Muscatine on business Friday.

Miss Lillian Fox of Cedar Falls, visited Friday to visit over the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora T. Boone were business visitors in Kalona Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills of Iowa City, visited with relatives in Nichols Thursday.

Earl Elder and Hubert Elder were in Muscatine on business Friday.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Verda Metcalf Friday afternoon, March 12.

O. C. McCullough, of West Liberty, is visiting for a few days this week at the home of his son, Ray McCullough.

A thousand skaters will be able to use the huge skating rink at the University of Illinois. It will be ready next fall.

With 23 members the Little Nineteen conference of Illinois has become unwieldy and probably will be broken up.

HASKINS, Ia. — (Special) — Martha Jones, a student at the State University at Iowa City, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

Floyd Edwards visited over Sunday at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Edwards.

Lucile Taylor of Washington visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of this place.

Leslie Bradley from Missouri spent Sunday at the Troy Crabtree home.

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New Boston School  
Pupils Offer Play  
NEW BOSTON, Ill. — (Special) — A play, "The Palace of Carelessness," was presented Saturday evening in the hall by the New Boston grade school. It was presented under the direction of Miss Treva Stepleton, instructor of English and music in the local high school. Miss Pauline Cook was the accompanist.

The following pupils appeared in the production: Maxine Blair; Violet Bigham; Jaunita Hartgrove; Betty Bigham; Kathryn Louck; Jaunita Camp; Junior Garrett; Theron Riley; Kathryn Poffenbarger; Corinne Poffenbarger; Kathryn Louck; Frances Sanders; Martha Jean Fyfe; Linda Dink; Betty Willis; John Riley; Audrey Vance; Grace Whitlow; Arley Figs; Robert Green; Junior Boden; Earl Brown; Mrs. Brashers; Boyd Ellworth; Dorothy Burtale; Jack Eckert; Corinne Poffenbarger; Kathryn Louck; Frances Sanders; Martha Jean Fyfe; Linda Dink; Betty Willis; John Riley; Audrey Vance; Grace Whitlow; Arley Figs; Robert Green; Junior Boden; Earl Brown; Mrs. Brashers; Boyd Ellworth; Dorothy Burtale; Jack Eckert; Corinne Poffenbarger; Kathryn Louck; Frances Sanders; Martha Jean Fyfe; Linda Dink; Betty Willis; John Riley; Audrey Vance; Grace Whitlow; Arley Figs; Robert Green; Junior Boden; Earl Brown; Mrs. Brashers; Boyd Ellworth; Dorothy Burtale; Jack Eckert; Corinne Poffenbarger; Kathryn Louck; Frances Sanders; Martha Jean Fyfe; 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## TIPTON NOT TO HAVE DELIVERY OF U. S. MAIL

Request of Residents Refused By Postal Authorities

TIPTON, Ia. — (Special)—Tipton will have no village delivery service of mails. This information was contained in a letter received from Arch Coleman, first assistant postmaster general.

Some time ago, papers for and against carrier service in the city were placed in a number of business houses for signatures. There were a great number for the service and a few against it. These petitions were given to Postmaster T. C. Moffitt on March 3 and the following letter was received from Mr. Coleman:

"With further reference to your letter of Feb. 14, you are informed that the report from the postmaster disclosed that there is no great demand for the establishment of village delivery service at Tipton.

"It appears that the town consists mostly of retired farmers who have nothing to do but visit and they like to walk down in the morning and evening to receive their mail at the post office. The postmaster further states that all the business men would maintain a lock box regardless of the opportunity of having their mail delivered by carrier.

"In view of these facts it is regretted that favorable consideration of the establishment of village delivery service at the Tipton office is not warranted at this time."

It is alleged that the business houses are opposed to the free delivery as they fear that if the mail is delivered the people will not have any reason for coming down town and this will affect their business. The matter will probably be again placed before the people soon.

Members of the Lions club entertained their ladies at a dinner in the W. R. C. hall and at a theatre party Friday evening. Seventy-two persons were present. The dinner was served by members of the W. R. C.

The Friday Afternoon Bridge club met with Mrs. R. O. Zimmerman. Bridge was played at three tables and guest prize was awarded to Mrs. Frank Bugenhagen and club prize to Miss Louise Mockler and Mrs. Forest Chamberlain. The club will meet in two weeks with Miss Edith Beck.

The Service Guild of the Presbyterian church will present three short plays at the church Monday night. "Not Quite Such a Goose," "The Bachelor's Reverie," and "Which Comes First."

## Pleasant Prairie

PLEASANT PRAIRIE, Ia. — (Special)—Among those who attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Franz Fransen of Melrose Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hermann, Mr. and Mrs. William Hermann, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cawezell, and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Plett.

The Harry Wulf home which has been quarantined for scarlet fever for the past month was released Friday.

Mrs. Agnes Bernick and son Frank, were business visitors in Muscatine Friday.

The entertainment committee of the Y. P. S. of New Era met at the Henry Paul home Thursday evening to plan for a St. Patrick's Day party to be held at the New Era gymnasium Wednesday evening. The committee is composed of Walter Grimm, chairman; Miss Kathryn Jenkins, Vernon and Fred Halling, Earl McElroy, and Aletha Paul.

Miss Hazel Maurath of Chicago is spending the week at the Alfred Petersen home.

A large number from this vicinity attended the basketball games at Blue Grass Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Riemcke and Mrs. Max Hartung were recent visitors at the Merrill Paul home.

Mrs. Otto Koeppe and son Arnold were visitors at the Henry Paul home Friday.

Max Lafrenz has moved to the old Fred Paul farm and Harry Harkins, who has been living in Blue Grass, has moved to the Smith place.

Henry Paul and Henry Drumm were business visitors in Sweetland Friday.

Among those who spent Saturday in Davenport are Mr. and Mrs. Arno Kretschmar and daughter Alma, and Henry and Adam Paul.

Merrill Paul was admitted to Hershey hospital Saturday morning where he underwent an operation.

Earl McElroy is delivering hay for G. R. Cole to be shipped from Pleasant Prairie.

The following men will serve as hosts at the regular meeting of the Masonic lodge at Wilton, Monday evening: Arnold Kretschmar, Raymond Stigers, B. H. Schroeder, Clarence Bernick, A. H. Cawezell and Clarence Egel.

Roy Baker is shipping a car load of hay.

Floyd Nicewanier has purchased a new tractor with which to begin spring farm work.

A number of cars returning from Davenport late Saturday evening were forced to remain at farm homes in this vicinity until roads could be cleared. The high wind and blinding snow made driving dangerous during the night.

George Teitsch attended the funeral of his brother John Teitsch at Muscatine Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Cole entertained relatives at a three course dinner Sunday noon. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fletcher and children, Elizabeth, Vance, and Donald, of near Muscatine, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Paul and children Cheryl and Edmond, and Earl Berry.

Mrs. Roy Egel entertained twelve ladies in honor of her birthday anniversary, Friday afternoon. Five-

## Celebrates 100th Birthday



Friedrich William Schultz, uncle of Claire Dux, opera singer, is 100 years old. He is in excellent health with hearing unimpaired and able to read without glasses. He was born in Posen, Germany, where he was a shepherd. He came to America in 1873. His wife died ten years ago. He now lives in North Judson, Ind.

## Pythian Lodge of Buffalo Holds an Anniversary Meet

BUFFALO, Ia. — (Special)—Banner Lodge No. 16, Knights of Pythias celebrated the forty-sixth anniversary of its founding Thursday evening. The program was presented by Damon Lodge No. 10 of Davenport in honor of the Buffalo group. The meeting was held in the Pythian hall of Buffalo.

Elmer Hox, Theodore Fortman and F. Bernick, charter members were present. Mr. Fortman has been secretary of the lodge for 31 years and has missed but five meetings in that time.

The session was opened by Past Chancellor Commander Louis Ochsen, who turned the meeting over to Emil Silberstein, Speaker's Bureau deputy. One of the speakers of the evening was Charles Cameron of Davenport who helped institute the Banner lodge.

Perry Rose has returned to his home after spending two weeks visiting friends in Chippawa, Wis.

Mrs. Cora Vance, Mrs. Olan Vance and daughter, Helen Louise, left for an extended visit with relatives in Eddyville and Indianapolis.

Mrs. Harvey Daines is visiting friends in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spalding of Davenport spent the week end with Mr. Spalding's sister, Mrs. Charles Walker.

## Stockton

STOCKTON, Ia. — (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ormsby and daughter, Helen Louise, were recent visitors at the D. B. Ormsby home.

Arthur Paulsen, who underwent an operation at Mercy hospital in Davenport, is recovering at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Paulsen in Davenport.

Announcement has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Pletcher of Blue Grass. The boy has been named John King. Mrs. Pletcher was before her marriage Miss Varrona Geertz.

Mrs. Edward Heyden recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at a Davenport hospital. Mrs. Edward Grimm and daughter, Lella, were Muscatine shoppers recently.

Mrs. Anna Wulf of Durant visited with friends here Thursday.

Mrs. M. Olderg of Durant and Mrs. Ferdinand Stahl and daughter, Dalores, visited with Mrs. Adolph Duge recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holst and sons, Aaron and Keith moved to Davenport Friday. Mr. Holst was manager of the Stockton store before it was closed.

Mrs. Mollie Lutje and daughter, Lillian, were Davenport shoppers recently.

J. W. Crull and daughter Maryella, have moved back to their home here. They lived in Davenport during the winter.

Mrs. Martha Paulsen, assisted by Mrs. Virginia Schiele will entertain the R. N. A. at their social party Thursday.

hundred was played at three tables. First prize was won by Mrs. Grace Ehreke, second by Mrs. Melinda Kappler, and the drawing prize by Mrs. Alma Oldsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Benschhof visited at the George Grimm home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer entertained friends Saturday evening. Cards was the main diversion of the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stecher and children, Bernice, Raymond, Albert, Mary, Bernard, and Lyle; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stecher and children, Dorothea, Francis, and Gertrude; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Strunk and daughter Mildred; Paul Eube, Harry Anderson, Ralph Jenkins, Carl Hearst, Ray Nagel and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and daughters Doris and Darline.

Mrs. Louis Angel spent Saturday in Iowa City. While there she lost a purse containing twenty dollars.

Miss Alice and Mary Jenkins spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins.

A number of local people attended the wedding of Miss Alice Belows and Ellis J. Allbee at radio station KTTT Saturday night. Mr. Allbee formerly lived in this community.

Miss Ella Mae Otte of Muscatine spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Otte.

The three creatures skinned to provide the essentials of college training are the coon, the sheep, and dad.—Bridgeport Telegram.

Practically every county in Alabama is now engaged in formulating plans for safe and profitable farming in 1931. Bankers, farmers, and business men are co-operating with the county agents in working out recommendations which will promote during the year.

Canning of grapefruit increased from 400,000 cases in 1925-26 to 1,316,000 during the 1929-30 season.

## WILTON GROUP ENTERS MEET

Glee Club Rehearses Songs to Be Given At DeWitt Soon

WILTON JUNCTION, Ia. — (Special)—The girls and boys of the high school glee club are preparing the following numbers which they will present at the contest to be held in DeWitt soon: Girls, "Happy Song," "Slumber Song," "To a Wild Rose," and "A Song of Spring"; boys, "Gypsy Life," and "Lo! How a Rose E'er Blooming"; solos, clarinet, Mort Cockaboot; violin, Dorothy Richards; vocal, Clara Wacker. Funeral services for Wilma, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hammer, were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday from the Zion Lutheran church. The Rev. P. W. Happle officiated. The child died Sunday morning at Hershey hospital, Muscatine, of the following illness. She is survived by her parents and a younger brother.

Mrs. Charles Hart incurred painful injuries Friday when she fell from a horse and suffered a sprained ankle.

In an attendance contest of the Glad Hand class of the Methodist church the men of the class won first place in the oratorical division at the county declamatory contest held recently in Columbus Junction. Helen Wilson, also of the local high school won second place in the dramatic class.

Miss Talbot will go to Columbus Junction March 13 to participate in the sub-district contest. Other schools which will be represented at that time are Grandview, Mediapolis, Columbus Junction, Sperry, Olds, Yarmouth and Winfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGinnis and family of Ainsworth and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGinnis of Washington were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McGinnis and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stodgell were pleasantly surprised Sunday when their six children with their grand-children came to celebrate their wedding anniversary. A cafeteria dinner was served at noon. The honorees were presented with a rug by the children.

Miss Florence Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, living near Newport, was taken to the Burlington hospital Monday when she underwent an operation Wednesday. Miss Johnson is a teacher at Yarmouth.

A. B. Thompson is seriously ill at his home in Newport. His daughter, Mrs. Iva Vaughn of Chicago, and Mr. Clyde Thompson of Ocala Falls, Wis., were called here by the death of a half brother, C. A. Umphrey, and illness of their father.

Many residents from this vicinity attended the funeral services of John Stucker, who passed away at Fairfield Sunday held at Pleasant Grove Tuesday afternoon. Burial was in Pleasant Grove cemetery.

Mrs. C. A. Peterson and Mrs. H. M. Griffin attended a Farm Bureau meeting of the township chairman and publicity chairman of Louisa county to meet with Mrs. Mae Larson of Ames. They made plans for achievement day at the Farm Bureau office in Wapello Wednesday.

Others present were Mrs. Earl Smith of Jefferson township, Mrs. Arthur Stone and Mrs. Sadie Wiley of Wapello, Mrs. Lella Evesmeyer and Mrs. H. J. Oak of Columbus Junction; Mrs. R. S. Johnson of Columbus City; Mrs. Walter Morse and Mrs. Clyde Torode of P. Louisa; Mrs. Floyd Leebeknecht of Letts; Mrs. Glen Cummings and Mrs. Ray Whistler of Marshall; Mrs. J. B. Garrett, Mrs. R. L. Hildebrand, Mrs. R. G. Lowe and Mrs. Harold McCormick of Concord; and Mrs. J. P. Reese and Miss Helen Cotter of Elm Grove.

Supt. Ross L. Barnett and Oath-er Cummings of the local school attended the Parsons, Iowa, Wesleyan game at Fairfield Wednesday evening. Parsons won by one point, 25-26.

It takes a live fish to swim up stream, but any old dead one can float down.

Ants, we read, can lift weights which are tremendous as compared with their own. Wasps also can raise good-sized lumps.

A Chicago banker, commenting on farmers, said "Farmers, with the electric light and bathroom prospects." Poor boob, he'd better learn the facts.

## Kalona

KALONA, Ia. — (Special)—Mrs. Dora Randall is working at the Ralph Ashby home.

Mrs. Banks Mouser has been seriously ill but is slowly improving.

## Ainsworth School Class to Present Play on Thursday

AINS WORTH, Ia. — (Special)—The Junior class of the high school will present their play, "Smile, Rodney, Smile" at the school auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

The cast of characters is as follows: Rodney Bradley, Delbert Evans; Virginia Koogelheimer, Pauline Clegg; Patty Myrna Sands; Mrs. Winslow, Geneva Jolly; Betty Crowley, Jean White; Egbert Marbot, Leo McCaleb; Bedelia Dwigins, Grace Fitzgerald; Tubby Hays, Keith Lord; Mrs. Gilbert Vance, Evelyn McGraw; Gwendolyn Vance, Margaret Acheson; Bruce Bradley, Charles Simpson; and Pickney Herring, George Boyd.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank McAllister and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore entertained boys of the United Presbyterian basketball team and their parents at dinner Saturday evening. Covers were laid for 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bosman of Muscatine visited Sunday at the "Chehak" home.

The coronation of Mrs. W. T. Trotter, who has been seriously ill, is much improved. Her children, who were called to her bedside, have returned to their homes.

The Young People's Society of the United Presbyterian church is sponsoring a musical evening next Friday. Robert Finley, musical artist of radio station KTV, will be present and give one of his programs.

Mrs. Frank Kilgore is reported ill at her home here.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl O'Connor Friday.

Mrs. Laura Chambers has returned to her home after a visit of several weeks at the home of her son in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Seams are hosts of Miss Christine Yordy of Lebanon, Pa. Miss Yordy will be in Kalona for several weeks.

Mrs. Roy Miller was in South English Friday.

Mrs. Bert Britton and daughter, Jennie were Iowa City shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mott and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith were in Iowa City Friday.

Mrs. Thursa Grady spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ober Niffenegger.

A number of Kalona people attended the basketball tournament at Muscatine Friday night.

Miss Veda Ehrenfeld of Iowa City is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Ehrenfeld.

Miss Bridget Monahan, nurse at Oakdale Sanatorium was in Kalona for a short time Saturday visiting friends. She then went on to Kinross where she will visit relatives for a week before returning to her duties at Oakdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bevins who have been living near Oxford, Ia., have moved to Kalona and will live with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Rowe. Mr. Bevins will work for Joe Vodka.

Logan Relief of Iowa City spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Relief.

Lucille Robertson was a weekend guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robertson of Grace Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stutsman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boone were in Washington Friday night where they attended the meeting of the Rebekah Lodge.

Harry Biglow was a business visitor in Iowa City Saturday.

Miss Juanita Ritz was a weekend visitor at the home of the parents.

The Pollyanna class of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday evening at the church parlors. Belle King, Mary Walters, Zella Abbott will be the hostesses. The program will be in charge of Minnie Ochle-tre, Olive Kiser, Beale Jasperson, Hulda Schroeder, Ethel Lawson, Edna Maurer.

The Trinity Aid society will hold an all day meeting with Mrs. Mae Cole Wednesday.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the church parlors Friday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Brumbaugh will have charge of the devotion and the lesson leaders will be Mrs. E. J. Maurer and Mrs. Bert Gill. Hostesses will be Mrs. H. B. Mason, Mrs. Henry Wildasin, Miss Bessie Nantz.

The Woman's Country club will meet with Mrs. Henry Lunow all day Friday.

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L. C. Hamilton home Wednesday evening.

Glenn Davis and Harold Watson visited friends in Iowa City Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Aubrecht and daughter, Dorothy, were callers in Nichols Friday.

I. T. Alfred and family of Iowa Junction are moving to the Billocks farm near Conesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rummelhart and son, Vincent, visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sanders, Friday evening.

Relatives here have received the news that Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Raymond of Albia have moved to a farm near Carlyle, Ia., where they will be engaged in trucking with their son, Harry, of Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Porter and George Porter of Greenfield, Ia., were dinner guests with Mrs. Mary Draper recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Aubrecht and family; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Magruder; J. R. Musser and daughter, Mildred; Mrs. Frank Aubrecht and daughter, Verda; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burgess were business callers in Iowa City, Saturday.

Mrs. Elsie Chase of Iowa City spent the weekend at the J. R. Musser home.

Arnell Johnson and Berna Walker were callers in Kalona Saturday.

Albert Nunally visited Saturday at the Ralph Rayner home.

Bess Rayner, Harold Magruder, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherburne were shoppers at Lone Tree Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherburne spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rayners.

Glady and Edwin Magruder spent Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rayner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherburne

## Melpine

MELPINE, Ia. — (Special)—Merle Paul, who is improving after an operation performed at Hershey hospital, Muscatine, Saturday was visited Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Paul of Melpine.

Miss Violet Holts is assisting Mrs. Paul Kelley with her work.

Mrs. George Nicola spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Paul Kelley.

Mr. Oliver Bentley, Mr. Arnold, and Alfred Peterson returned Saturday after a trip to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kelley went to Hampton, Ia., Saturday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Charles Fletcher. They returned Sunday night. Mrs. Doris Kelley accompanied them home after spending several months with her sister.

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